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Oriented Crystals Breaking Down the Challenges in Accelerator Physics, Particle Physics, and Space Science — and their Simulation with Geant4

Marie Curie Global Fellowships, Project TRILLION GA n. 101032975

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DESY, Hamburg, 14/05/2024

Where I am from?

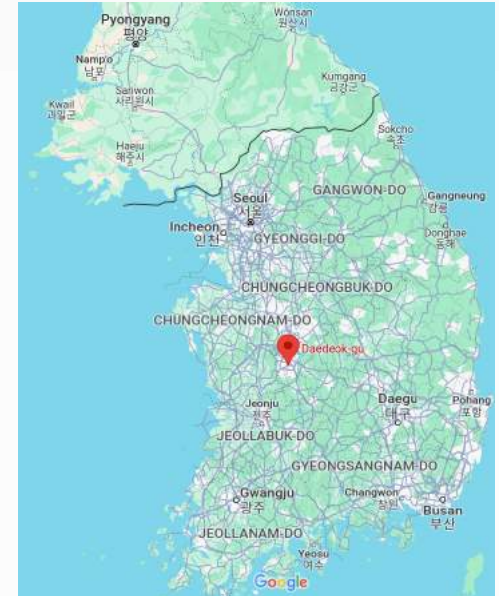
I work in
Italy, Ferrara



Originally I am from
Belarus, Minsk



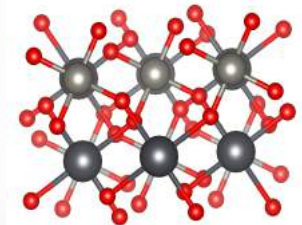
I spent almost 2 years in
Daejeon, Korea



Briefly about me

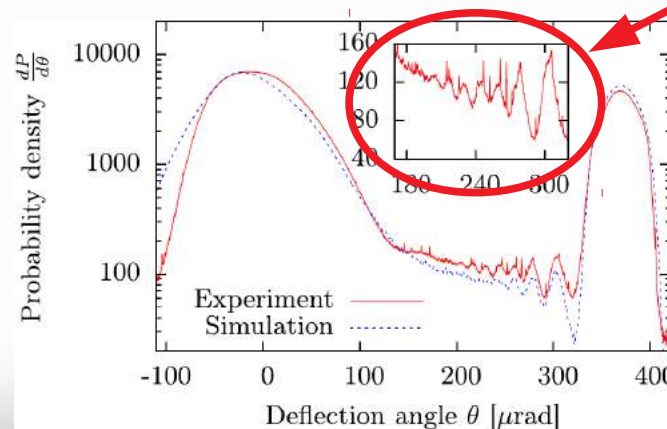
- **2018: 2 PhDs** – in Experimental Physics, University of Ferrara and in Theoretical Physics, Belarusian State University
- **2019-2021: Post-doctoral Fellow** in Experimental Physics at the INFN Division of Ferrara.
- Since **2020** involved in **MC_INFN** – INFN **Geant4** project
- Since **02/09/2021**: Marie Skłodowska-Curie Action Global Individual Fellowships, GA n. 101032975 – project **Trillion**
- **My field: Electromagnetic effects** of charged particles interaction with **oriented crystals** (deflection, radiation and pair production) and their applications in **accelerator physics, detector physics, nuclear physics, medical physics.**
- **Effects: Channeling**, channeling radiation, coherent pair production

$e^+/e^-/\gamma$;
hadrons



Briefly about me

- New effect predicted and observed experimentally: **Quasichanneling oscillations** in the deflection angle distribution*
- **Software designed: CRYSTALRAD** simulation code – simulations of channeling, channeling radiation and crystal-based extraction from an accelerator.
- **High Performance Computing experience:** HPC Monte Carlo simulations, usage of **CINECA** supercomputing center resources since 2015, **PI** of 5 projects.
- **Additionally:** Fortran, C/C++, Mathematica, Python, Geant4, Keras deep learning framework.
- Since 2022 member of



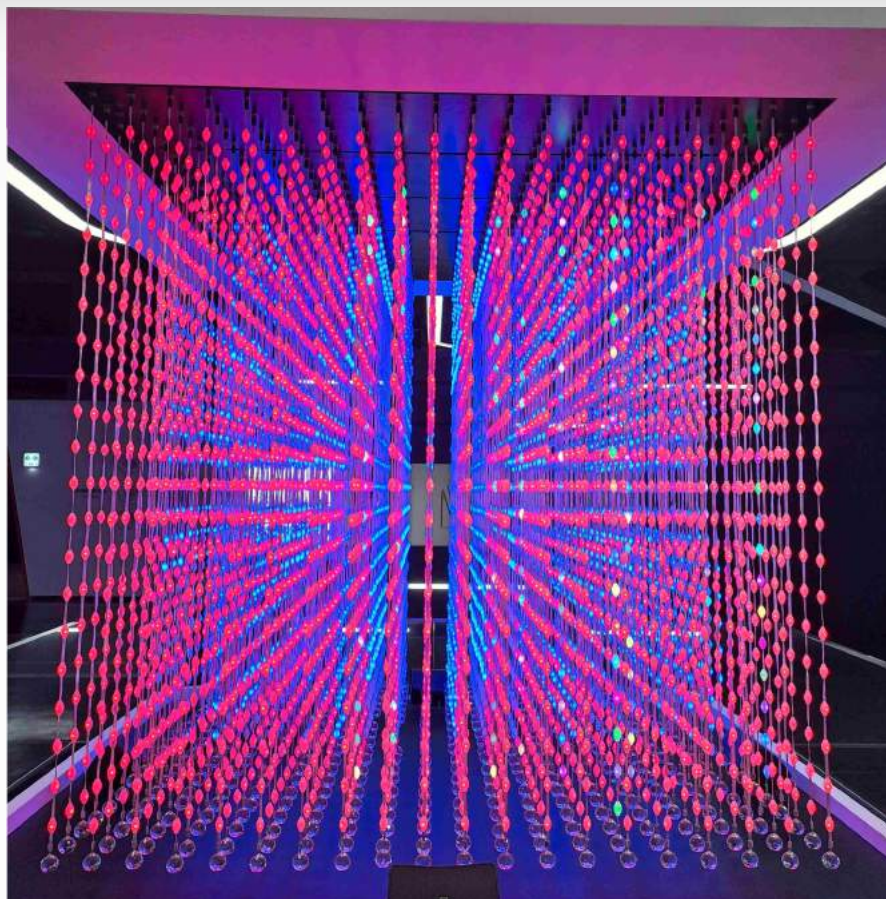
**Quasichanneling
oscillations**



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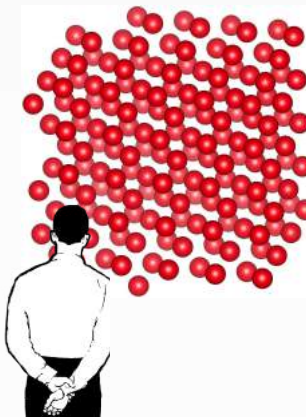
How an oriented crystal looks like

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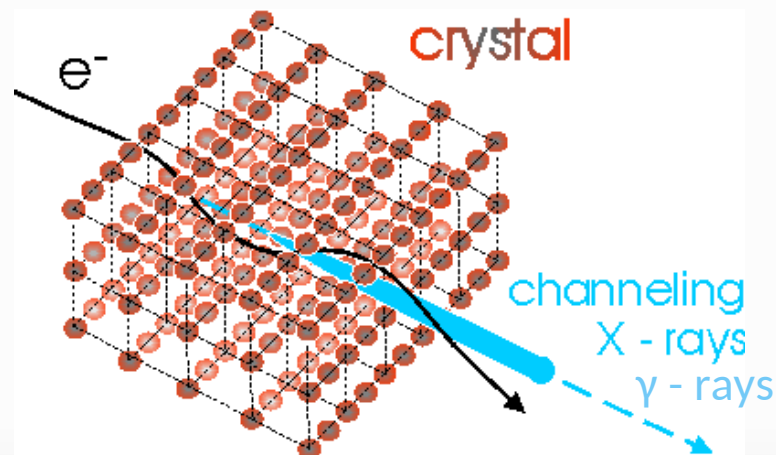
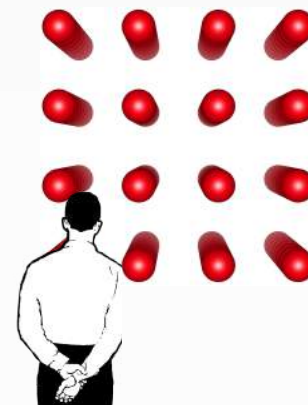


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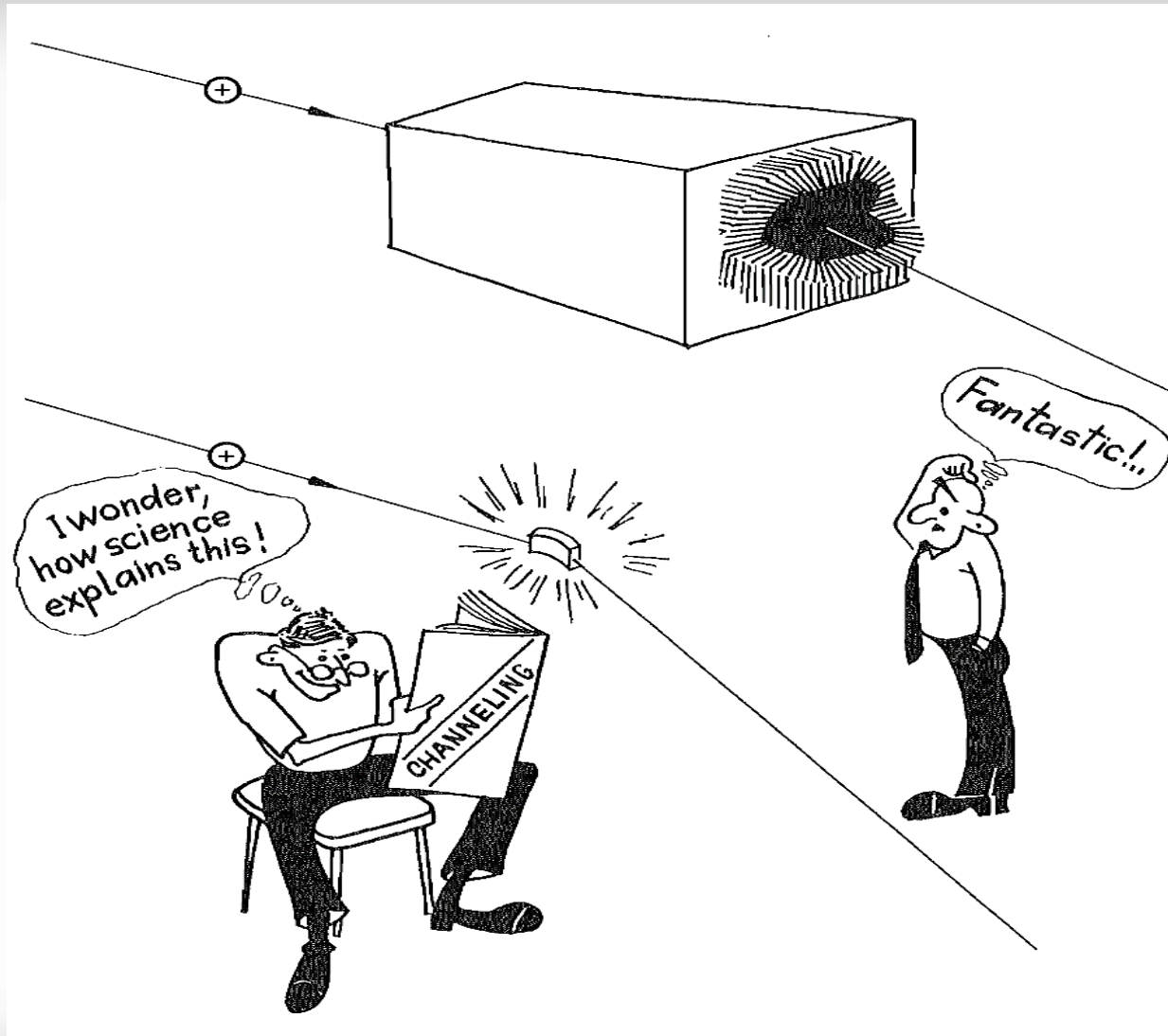
Non-oriented
crystal



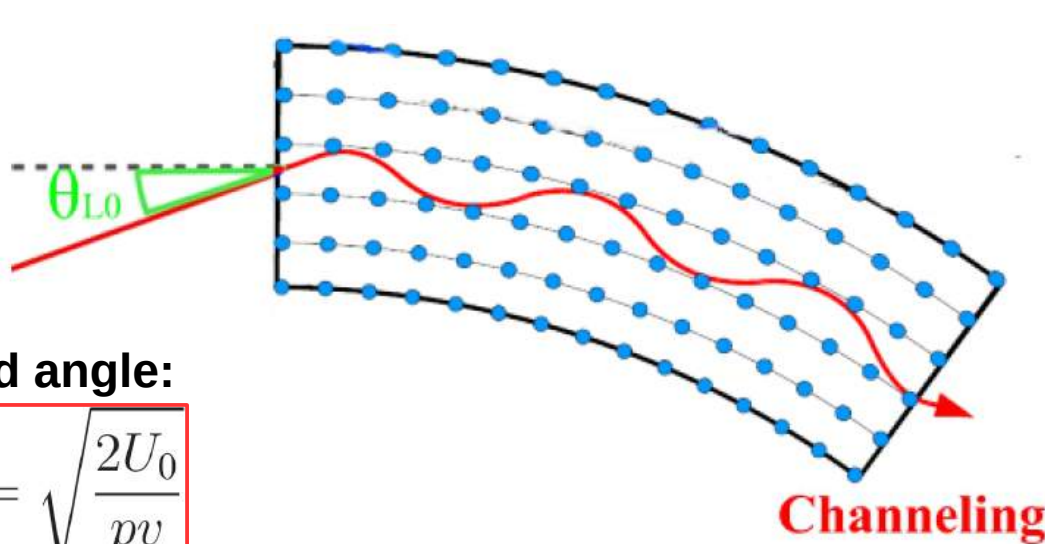
Oriented crystal



The world of the channeling effect

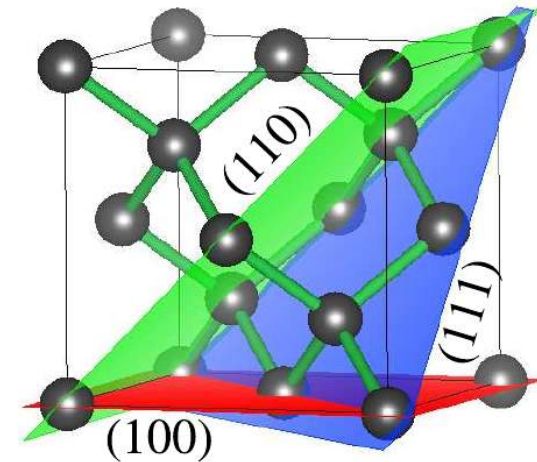


Channeling effect*



Lindhard angle:

$$\theta < \theta_L = \sqrt{\frac{2U_0}{pv}}$$



Channeling* is the effect of the penetration of charged particles through a monocrystal quasi parallel to its atomic axes or planes. In dependence on the crystal alignment along either planes or atomic strings channeling can be divided into

- **Planar channeling**
- **Axial channeling**

Planar/Axial field $10^9/10^{11}$ V/cm

*J. Stark, Zs. Phys. 13, 973–977 (1912)

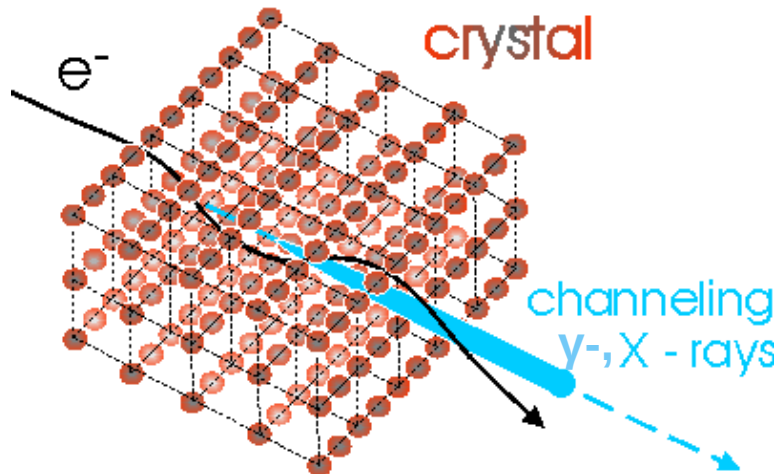
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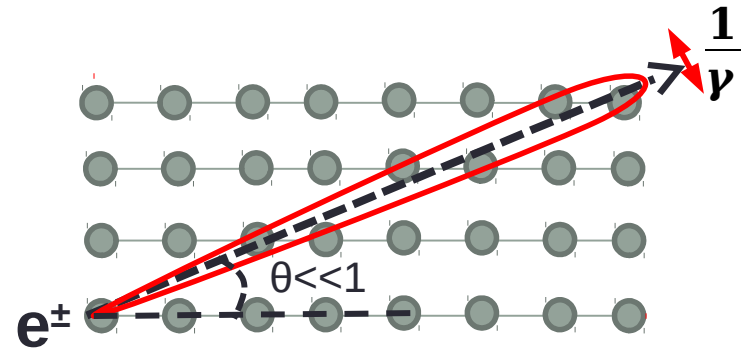
Coherent effects in a crystal

Channeling radiation*

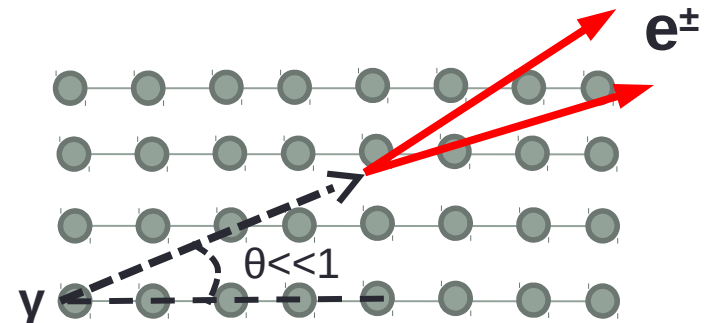


Coherent effects preserve
up to few mrad of particle
direction vs the crystal axis

Coherent bremsstrahlung**



Coherent pair production***



*M.A. Kumakhov, Phys. Lett. A 57(1), 17–18 (1976)

**B. Ferretti, Nuovo Cimento 7, 118 (1950).

***M. Ter-Mikaelian, Sov. Phys. JETP 25, 296 (1953).

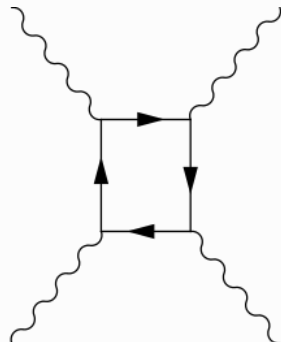
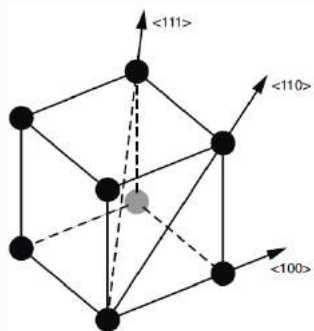
*** H. Überall, Phys. Rev. 103, 1055 (1956).

Electromagnetic shower acceleration

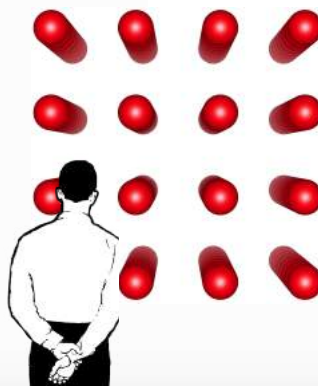
Axial field
 10^{11} V/cm



Approaching the
Schwinger limit
starting from few
GeV for e^+/e^-



The **radiation** intensity and
the **pair production** cross-
section **drastically increase**
in **oriented crystals**!



Particle

Particle

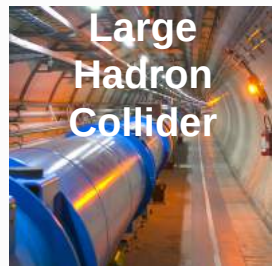
Amorphous or randomly oriented crystal

Oriented crystal

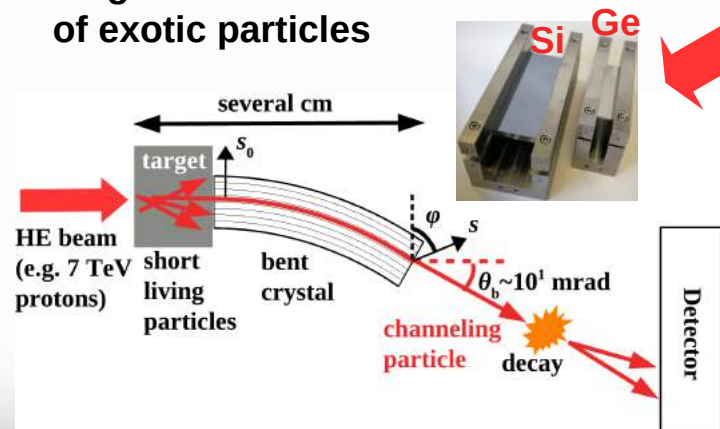
Shower development in the
field of axes is **accelerated**.
The radiation length is
considerably reduced.

Applications*

Crystal-based collimation or beam extraction from an accelerator

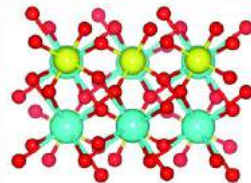


Measurement of dipole magnetic and electric moments of exotic particles

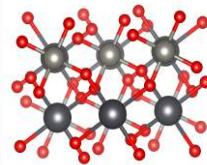


Gamma-ray Space Telescope

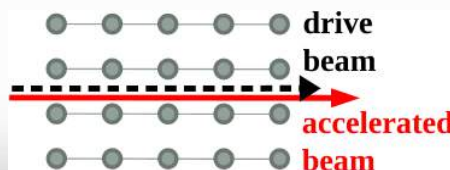
Ultrashort crystalline calorimeter



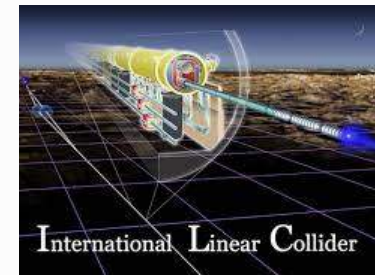
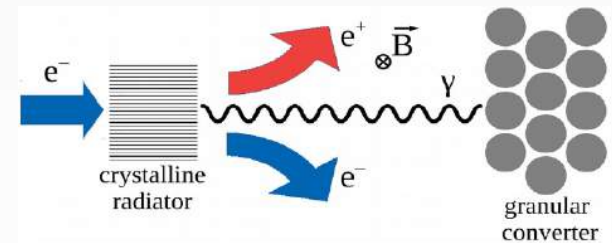
Oriented crystals



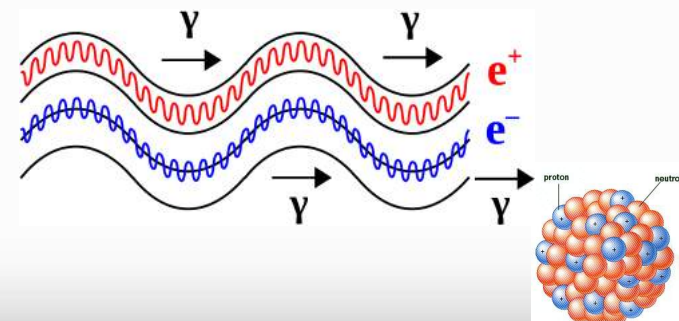
Plasma acceleration



Positron source for future e⁺/e⁻ and muon colliders



X and γ-ray source for nuclear and medical physics



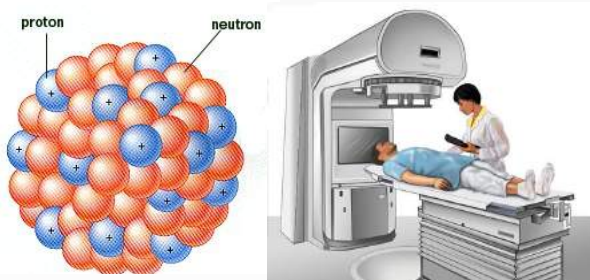


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Applications of oriented crystals*

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X and γ -ray source for nuclear
physics and cancer radiotherapy



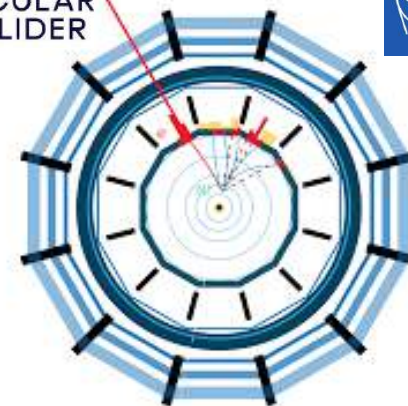
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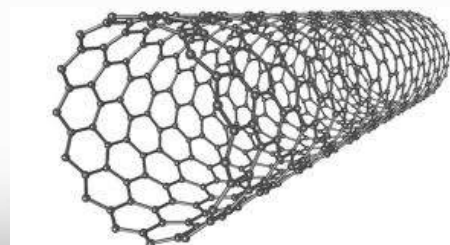
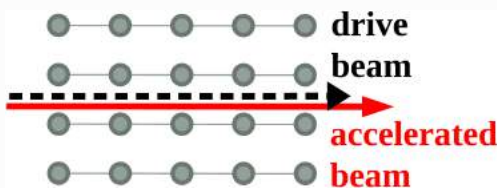
Positron source for future multi-
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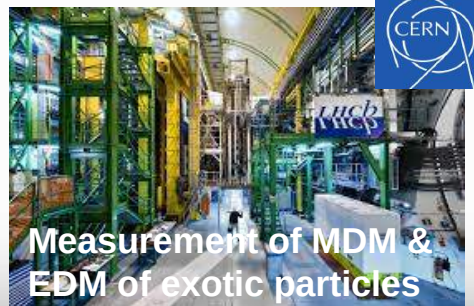
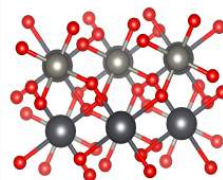
FUTURE
CIRCULAR
COLLIDER



Plasma wakefield acceleration



Oriented crystals



Crystal-based beam extraction
from accelerators and colliders



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Main goal: The **implementation** of both physics of **electromagnetic processes in oriented crystals** and the design of specific applications of crystalline effects into **Geant4** simulation toolkit as Extended Examples to bring them to a large scientific and industrial community and under a free Geant4 license.

Group:

- **A. Sytov** – project coordinator
- **L. Bandiera** – INFN supervisor
- **K. Cho** – KISTI supervisor
- **G. Kube** – DESY supervisor
- **I. Chaikovska** – IJCLab Orsay supervisor

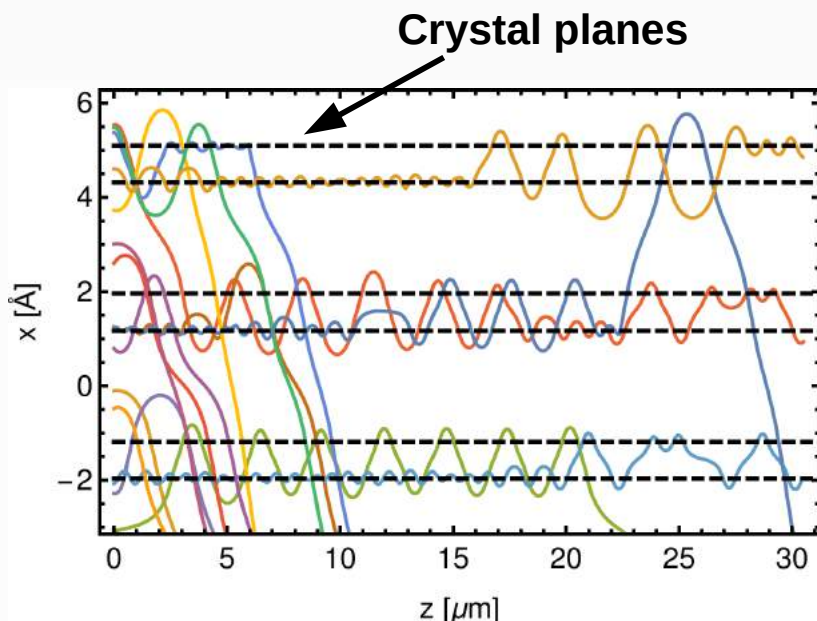
Location:

- 2 years at **KISTI** (partner organization)
- 1 year at **INFN Section of Ferrara** (host organization)
- 1 month of secondment at **DESY** (partner organization)
- 1 month of secondment at **IJCLab Orsay** (partner organization)



Baseline channeling simulation technique: CRYSTALRAD Monte Carlo simulation code

Main conception – simulation of classical trajectories of charged particles in a crystal in averaged atomic potential of planes or axes. Multiple and single **scattering simulation** at every step



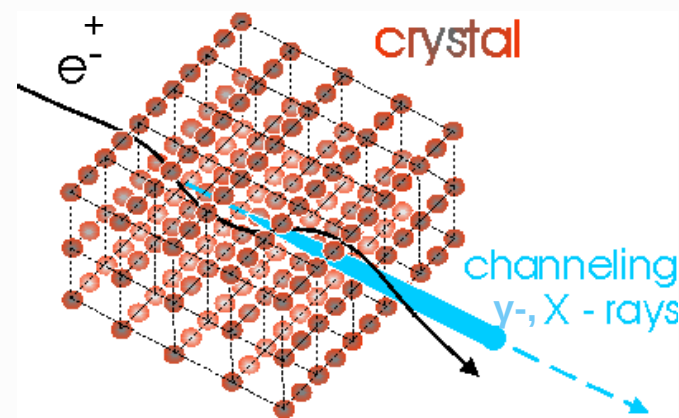
Advantages:

- High calculation speed
- **MPI** parallelization for high performance computing

Baier-Katkov formula:

integration is made over the classical trajectory

$$\frac{dE}{d^3k} = \omega \frac{dN}{d^3k} \frac{\alpha}{4\pi^2} \iint dt_1 dt_2 \frac{[(E^2 + E'^2)(v_1 v_2 - 1) + \omega^2 / \gamma^2]}{2E'^2} e^{-ik'(x_1 - x_2)}$$



A.I. Sytov, V.V. Tikhomirov. NIM B 355 (2015) 383–386.

L. Bandiera, et al., Nucl. Instrum. Methods Phys. Res., Sect. B 355, 44 (2015)

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GEANT4

A SIMULATION TOOLKIT

How to implement an external code into Geant4?

Geant4 FastSim interface, a solution of most of challenges

FastSim model:

- Physics list **independent**
- Declared in the **DetectorConstruction** (just **few lines of code**)
- Is activated **only** in a **certain G4Region** at a **certain condition** and only for **certain particles**
- **Stops Geant processes** at the step of FastSim model and then resumes them

```
71  G4bool TestModel::IsApplicable(const G4ParticleDefinition& particleType)
72  {
73      return
74      &particleType == G4Proton::ProtonDefinition() ||
75      &particleType == G4AntiProton::AntiProtonDefinition() ||
76      &particleType == G4Electron::ElectronDefinition() ||
77      &particleType == G4Positron::PositronDefinition(); // ||
78      //&particleType == G4Gamma::GammaDefinition();
79  }
80
81  //....ooo00000ooo.....ooo00000ooo.....ooo00000ooo.....ooo00000ooo.....
82
83  G4bool TestModel::ModelTrigger(const G4FastTrack& fastTrack)
84  {
102 }
103
104 //....ooo00000ooo.....ooo00000ooo.....ooo00000ooo.....ooo00000ooo.....
105
106 void TestModel::DoIt(const G4FastTrack& fastTrack,
107                     G4FastStep& fastStep)
108 {
```

Insert particles for which
the model is applicable

Insert the condition
to enter the model

Insert what the
model does

How to use the Geant4 channeling model in your example?

● Add to DetectorConstruction::Construct()

```
//crystal volume
G4Box* crystalSolid = new G4Box("Crystal",CrystalSizeX/2,CrystalSizeY/2,CrystalSizeZ/2.);
crystalLogic = new G4LogicalVolume(crystalSolid,crystalMaterial,"Crystal");
    new G4PVPlacement(xRot,posCrystal,crystalLogic,"Crystal",logicWorld,false,0);
//crystal region (necessary for the FastSim model)
fRegion = new G4Region("Crystal");
fRegion->AddRootLogicalVolume(crystalLogic);
```

Volume declaration
(completely standard)

G4Region declaration

● Add to DetectorConstruction::ConstructSDandField()

```
void DetectorConstruction::ConstructSDandField()
{
    // ----- fast simulation -----
    //extract the region of the crystal from the store
    G4RegionStore* regionStore = G4RegionStore::GetInstance();
    G4Region* RegionCh = regionStore->GetRegion("Crystal");

    //create the channeling model for this region
    G4ChannelingFastSimModel* ChannelingModel =
        new G4ChannelingFastSimModel("ChannelingModel", RegionCh);
    //activate the channeling model
    ChannelingModel->Input(crystalMaterial, Lattice);
    //setting bending angle of the crystal planes (default is 0)
    ChannelingModel->GetCrystalData()->
        SetBendingAngle(BendingAngle,crystalLogic);

    //activate radiation model
    if (ActivateRadiationModel) ChannelingModel->RadiationModelActivate();
}
```

Get crystal region

Channeling FastSim
model declaration

Model activation
and input

Optional

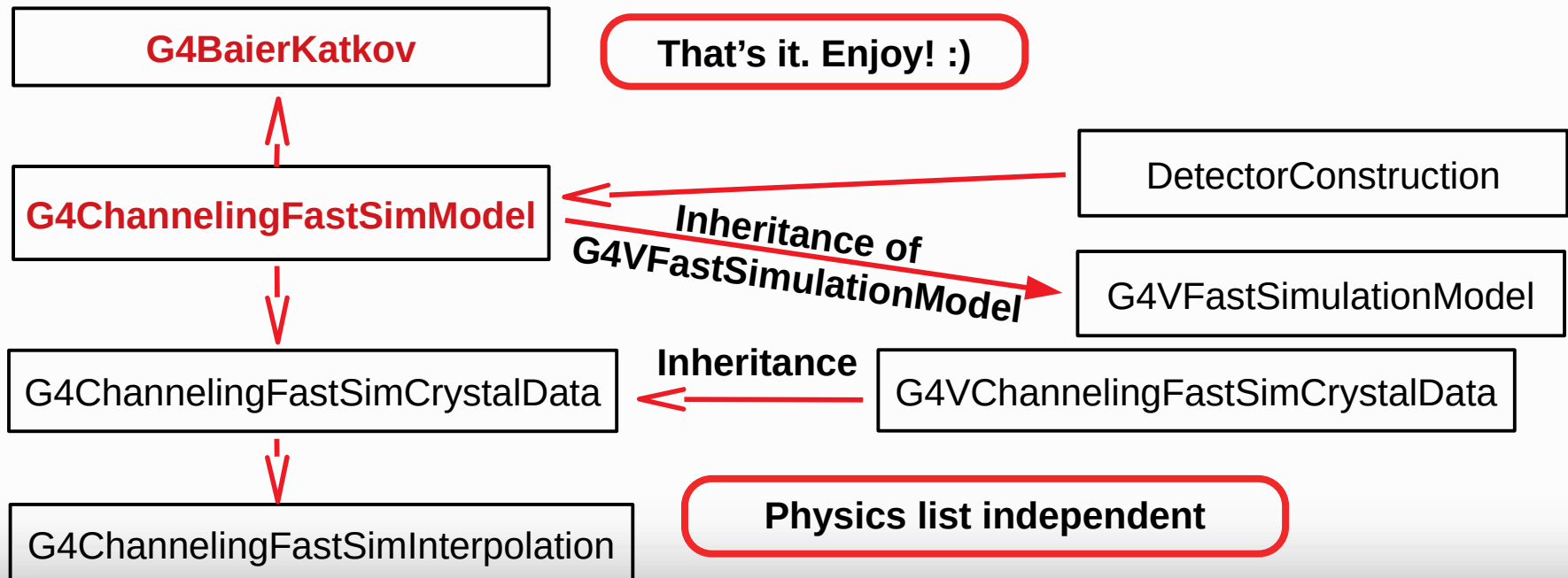
Radiation model
activation

How to use the Geant4 channeling model in your example?

● Add to main:

Register FastSimulationPhysics

```
G4FastSimulationPhysics* fastSimulationPhysics = new G4FastSimulationPhysics();
fastSimulationPhysics->BeVerbose();
// -- activation of fast simulation for particles having fast simulation models
// -- attached in the mass geometry:
fastSimulationPhysics->ActivateFastSimulation("e-");
fastSimulationPhysics->ActivateFastSimulation("e+");
// -- Attach the fast simulation physics constructor to the physics list:
physicsList->RegisterPhysics( fastSimulationPhysics );
```



Current status

Already in geant4-11.2.0 !

geant4-v11.2.0/source/parameterisations/channeling/

Please use it!

Release December 8, 2023 <https://geant4.web.cern.ch/download/11.2.0.html>

**Don't hesitate to contact me in the case of
any problems/issues/suggestions
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Geant4 Physics Reference Manual:

https://geant4-userdoc.web.cern.ch/UsersGuides/PhysicsReferenceManual/html/solidstate/channeling/channeling_fastsim.html

Please cite our papers if you use our model:

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Our project MIRACLE, no. HP10BIW7VR

Cineca ISCRA Class B National Italian project

MIRACLE

Medical physics and RAdiation in Crystals simuLation with gEant4

Main goal: to supply **Italian Geant4 community** and their international collaborators by CINECA HPC resources necessary to accomplish **MC_INFN** and **TRILLION** projects.

25/10/2021 - 25/01/2023

Marconi 100: 0.992 Mh for 1 year

Italian organizations involved

- INFN Sezione di Catania
- INFN Sezione di Ferrara
- INFN Laboratori Nazionali del Sud
- INFN Napoli
- INFN Roma1
- Istituto Superiore di Sanità
- University of Messina
- University of Napoli

Galileo 100: 2.4 Mh for 1 year

Foreign organizations involved

- ELI-Beamlines, Institute of Physics, (FZU), Czech Academy of Sciences
- Institute for Nuclear Problems, Belarusian State University
- University of Surrey

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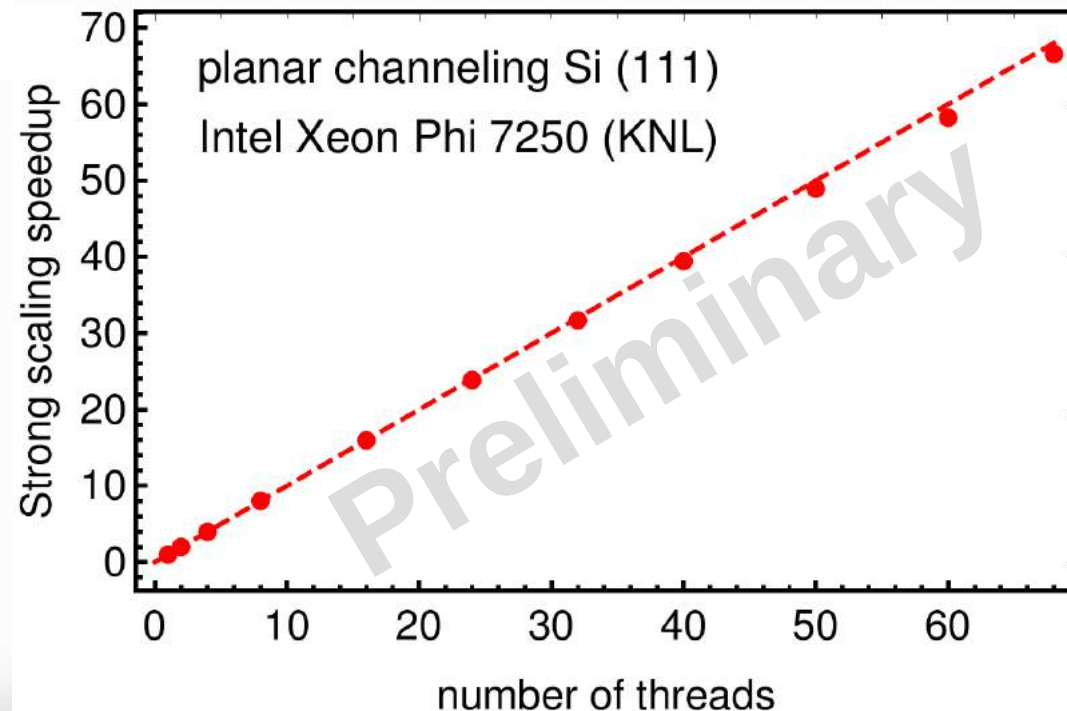
supercomputer
NURION@KISTI (Korea)

Multithreading works!
Checked at the supercomputer
Galileo100@CINECA (Italy)
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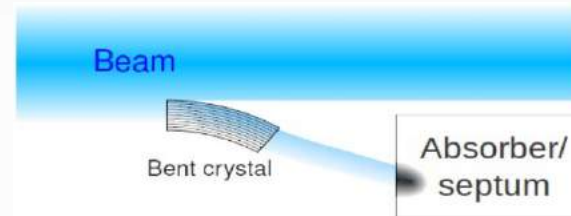
Geant4 channeling model scaling on Nurion



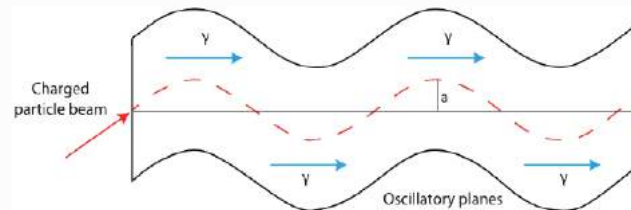
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Specific applications to implement into Geant4:

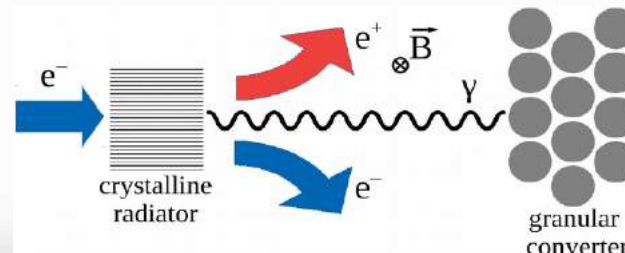
● **Crystalline deflector to extract a charged particle beam from an accelerator** (electron synchrotron, hadron collider) to supply fixed-target experiments by an intense low-emittance beam.



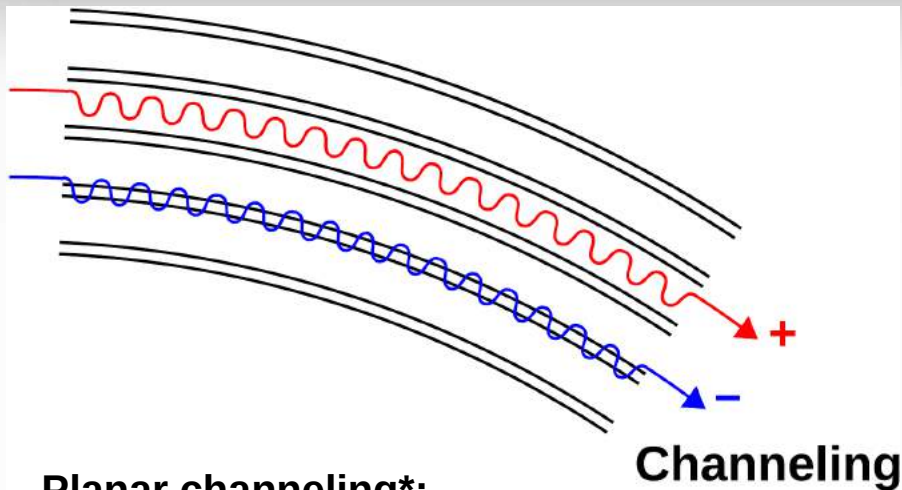
● **Crystalline source of hard X-ray and gamma radiation, crystalline undulator (CU).**



● **Crystal-based hybrid positron source** for both linear and circular e^+e^- colliders (ILC, FCC-ee) as well as for muon colliders.



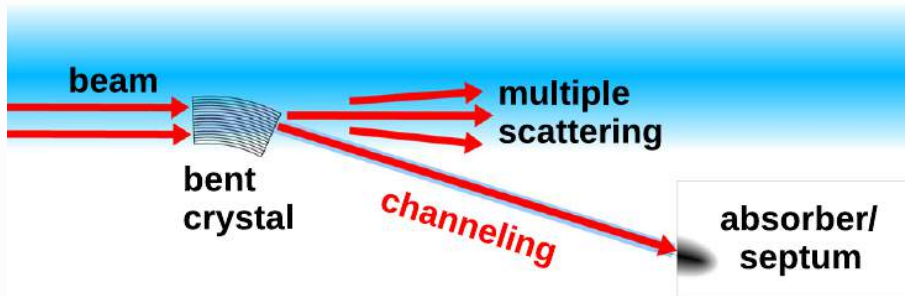
Crystal-based extraction



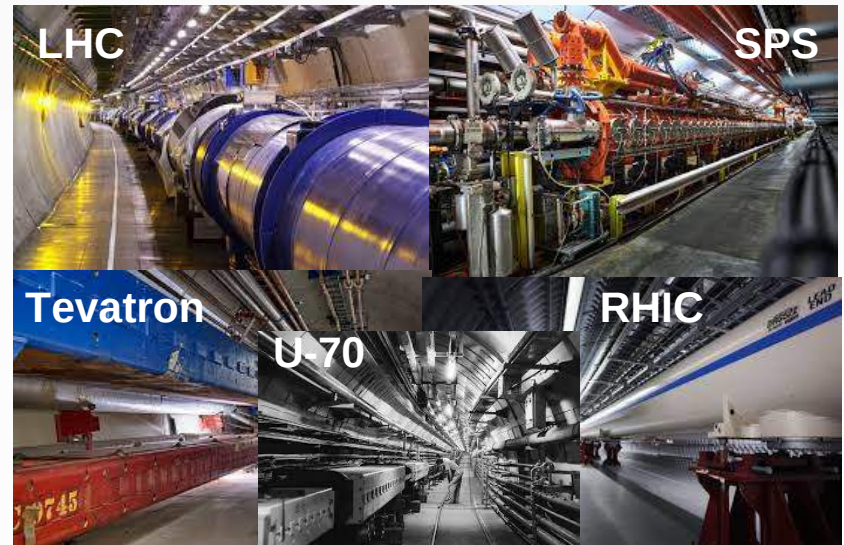
Planar channeling*:

- Charge particle penetration through a monocrystal along its atomic planes

Crystal-based extraction/collimation



Crystal-based collimation and extraction have been used at hadron machines



Crystal-based extraction/collimation:
applied only for hadrons, not yet for e-

Interesting for tens of
electron synchrotrons

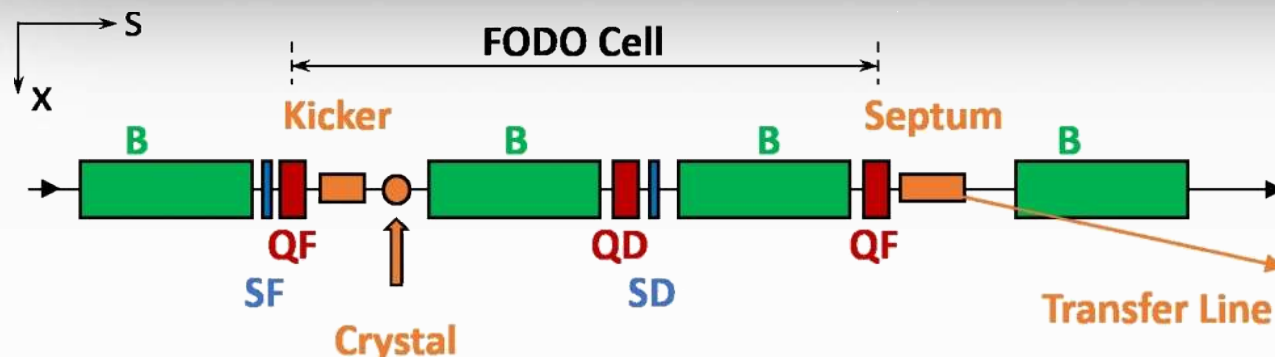


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Crystal-based extraction: possible setup at DESY-II



B->dipoles
QF/QD->focusing/
defocusing quadrupoles

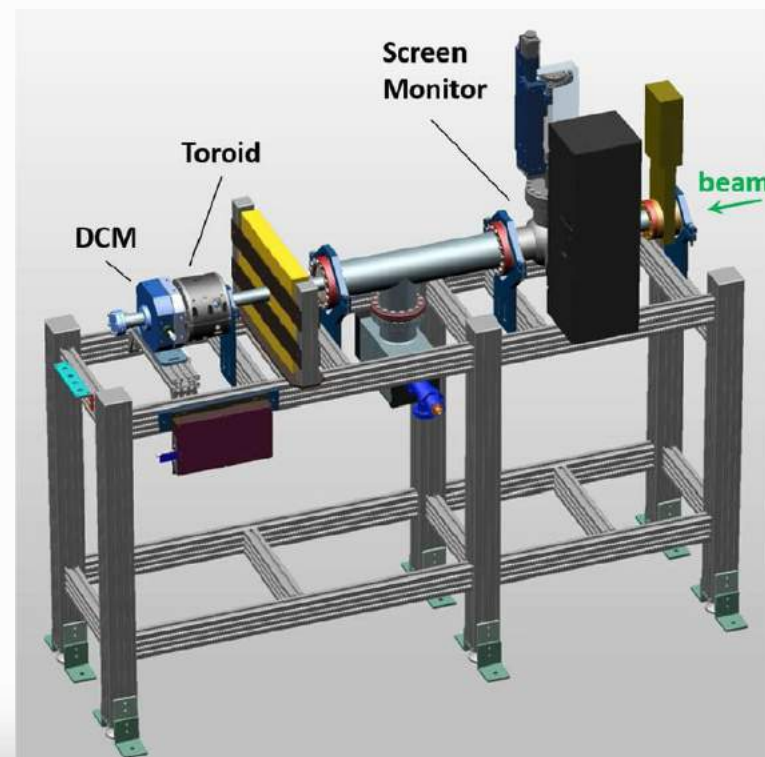
6 GeV electrons

Advantages:

- Extraction of **primary** low-emittance and very **intense electron beam** in a **parasitic mode**.
- The **extraction line** including septum magnets already exists => **ideal for prove-of-principle**
- **Few GeV** electron beam, **typical for synchrotron light sources** existing in the world.

Applications:

- Nuclear and particle physics detectors and generic **detector R&D**
- Fixed-target experiments in **high-energy physics** including future **lepton colliders**
- Also: **crystal-based collimation** (synchrotron light sources, colliders)

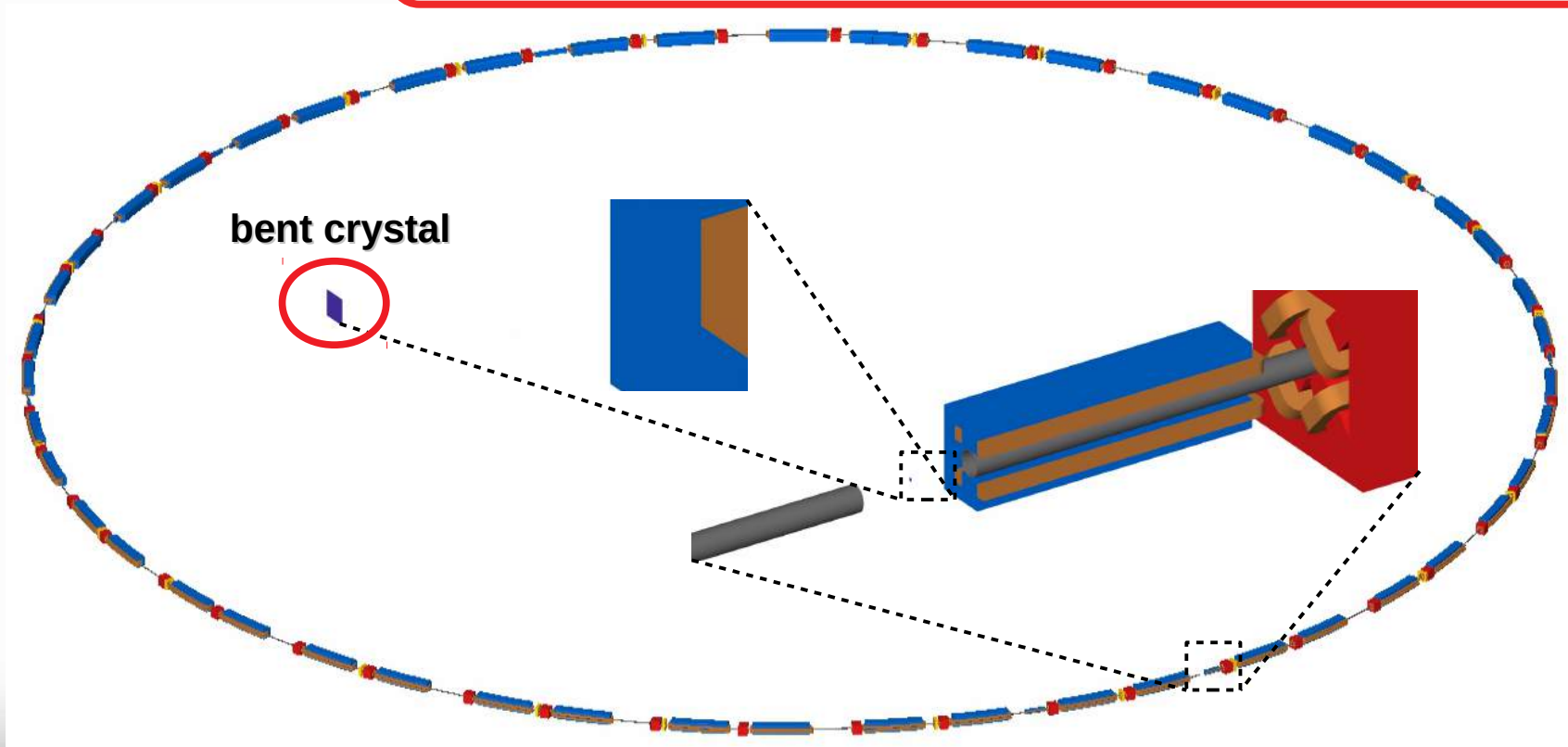


My mission to DESY: full simulations with the BDSim simulation code

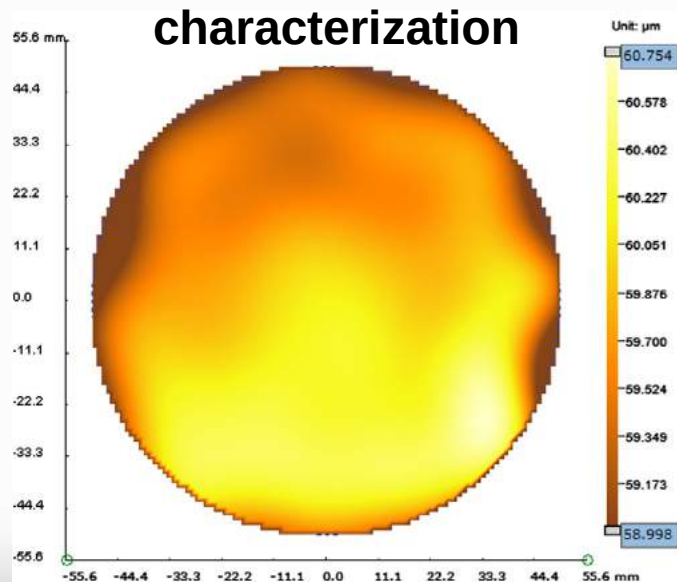
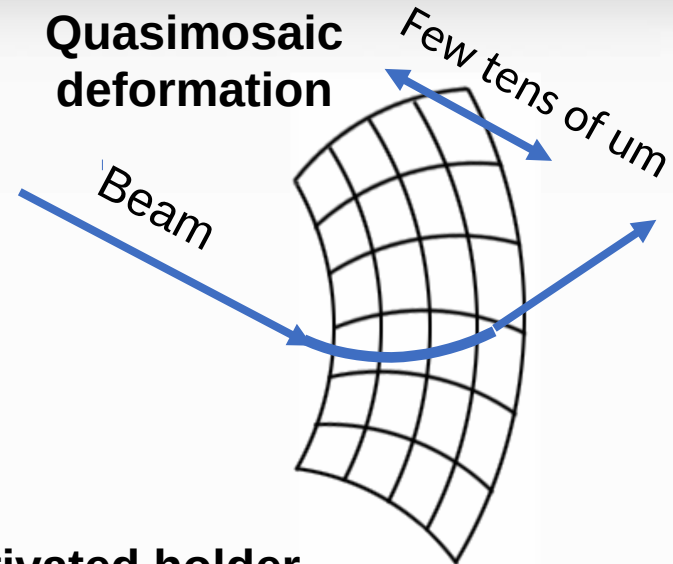
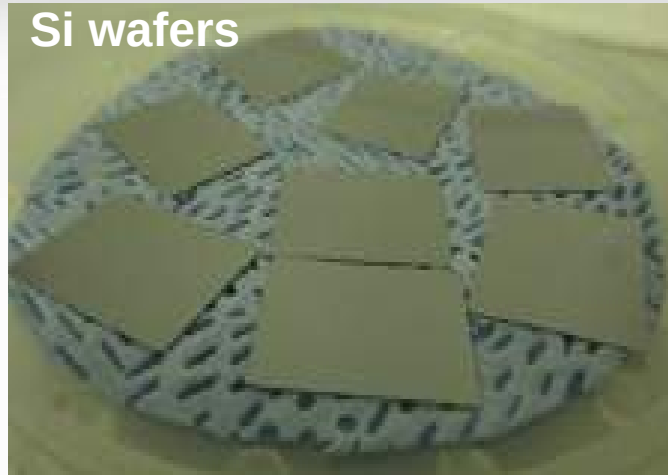


Purpose of BDSIM:

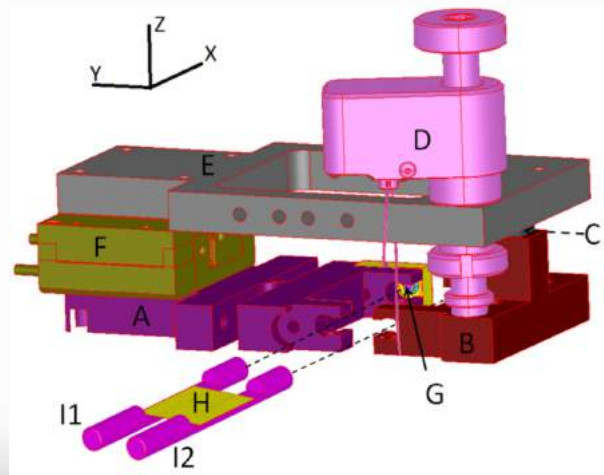
Beam Delivery Simulation (BDSIM) is a C++ program that utilises the **Geant4 toolkit** to simulate both the **transport of particles in an accelerator** and their **interaction with the accelerator material**. BDSIM is capable of **simulating a wide variety of accelerator components and magnets** with Geant4 geometry dynamically built based on a text input file. **Thick lens accelerator tracking routines** are provided for fast accurate tracking in a vacuum.



Manufacturing and characterization of bent silicon crystals @INFN Ferrara



Piezo-activated holder



Implementation of a new component and a new physics list

```
#include "BDSIMClass.hh" // bdsim interface

#include "CrystalDeflector.hh"
#include "CrystalDeflectorConstructor.hh"

#include "FTFP_BERT.hh"
#include "G4FastSimulationPhysics.hh"
#include "G4StepLimiterPhysics.hh"
#include <iostream>

int main(int argc, char** argv)
{
    // construct an instance of bdsim
    BDSIM* bds = new BDSIM();

    // Physics list
    G4VModularPhysicsList* physicsList = new FTFP_BERT;
    // -- Create helper tool, used to activate the fast simulation:
    G4FastSimulationPhysics* fastSimulationPhysics = new G4FastSimulationPhysics();
    fastSimulationPhysics->BeVerbose();
    // -- activation of fast simulation for particles having fast simulation models
    // -- attached in the mass geometry:
    fastSimulationPhysics->ActivateFastSimulation("e-");
    fastSimulationPhysics->ActivateFastSimulation("e+");
    // -- Attach the fast simulation physics constructor to the physics list:
    physicsList->RegisterPhysics( fastSimulationPhysics );
    physicsList->RegisterPhysics(new G4StepLimiterPhysics());
    bds->RegisterUserPhysicsList(physicsList);

    // register a custom component by name udipole with a user-provided constructor
    // BDSIM will delete the constructor at the end.
    bds->RegisterUserComponent("crystaldeflector", new CrystalDeflectorConstructor());

    // construct geometry and physics
    bds->Initialise(argc, argv);
    if (!bds->Initialised()) // check if there was a problem.
        {std::cout << "Initialisation failed" << std::endl; return 1;}

    bds->BeamOn(); // run the simulation
    delete bds;    // clean up
    return 0;      // exit nicely
}
```

CrystalDeflectorConstructor.cc

```
BDSAcceleratorComponent* crystal = new CrystalDeflector(element->name,
    element->l*CLHEP::m,
    element->xsize*CLHEP::m,
    element->ysize*CLHEP::m,
    element->materialThickness*CLHEP::m,
    element->axisX,
    element->axisY,
    element->axisZ,
    horizontalWidth*CLHEP::m,
    bendingAngle,
    material,
    vacuumMaterial,
    crystalLattice,
    region,
    colour,
    radiationModel);

D12H: drift, l=0.4125;
CR1: usercomponent, typeName="crystaldeflector",
l=0.4125, xsize=1*cm, ysize=1*cm,
materialThickness=0.175*mm, offsetX=-1.126046*cm,
offsetY=0*mm, axisX=0.000, axisY = -0.00097, axisZ = 0.,
horizontalWidth=1*mm, material="G4_Si",
vacuumMaterial="vacuum",
userParameters="crystalRegion:crystal1
crystalBendingAngle:0.00175 crystalLattice:(111)
colour:decapole radiationModel:false"; dump1: dump,
l=1*mm, horizontalWidth=4*cm,
apertureType="rectangular",offsetX=2.98*cm;
n18: drift l=0.405.
```

CrystalDeflectorConstructor.cc

```
void CrystalDeflector::BuildCrystal()
{
    //build crystal solid
    G4Box* crystalSolid = new G4Box(name + "_crystal_solid",
        crystalXSize * 0.5,
        crystalYSize * 0.5,
        crystalMaterialThickness * 0.5);
    RegisterSolid(crystalSolid); // for deletion by bdsim

    // make a logical volume for the crystal
    G4LogicalVolume* crystalLV = new G4LogicalVolume(crystalSolid,
        crystalMaterial,
        name + "_crystal_lv");

    // visualisation attributes - make it nicely visible
    G4VisAttributes* crystalVis = new G4VisAttributes(*BDSColours::Instance()->GetColour(crystalcolour));
    crystalVis->SetVisibility(true);
    crystalLV->SetVisAttributes(crystalVis);
    RegisterVisAttributes(crystalVis); // for deletion by bdsim
    RegisterLogicalVolume(crystalLV); // for deletion by bdsim

    G4RotationMatrix* crystalRM = new G4RotationMatrix();
    crystalRM->rotateX(crystalAxisX);
    crystalRM->rotateY(crystalAxisY);
    crystalRM->rotateZ(crystalAxisZ);
    RegisterRotationMatrix(crystalRM); // for deletion by bdsim
    G4double crystalZPos = 0*CLHEP::cm;
    G4ThreeVector crystalPos = G4ThreeVector(0,0, crystalZPos);

    //physical volume
    auto crystalPV = new G4PVPlacement(crystalRM,
        crystalPos,
        crystalLV,
        name + "_crystal",
        containerLogicalVolume,
        false,
        0,
        checkOverlaps);
    RegisterPhysicalVolume(crystalPV); // for deletion by bdsim

    G4Region* crystalRegion = new G4Region(crystalRegionName);
    crystalRegion->AddRootLogicalVolume(crystalLV);

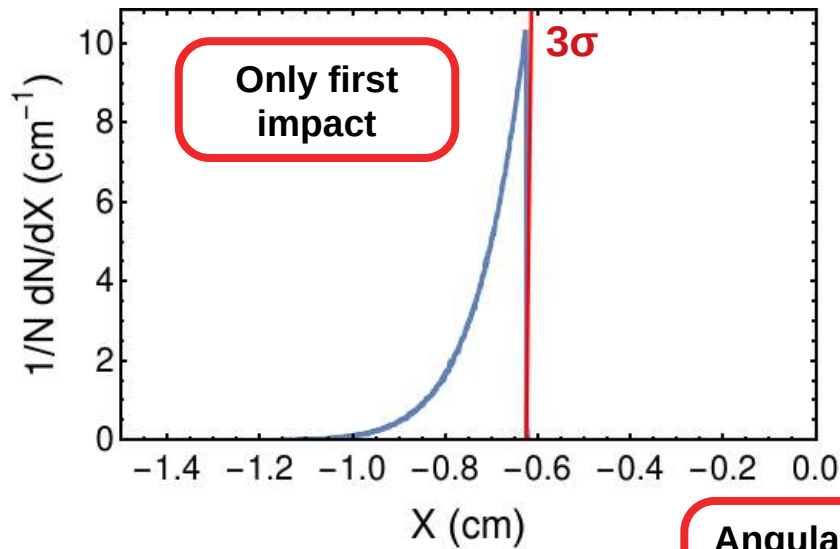
    //create the channeling model for this region
    G4ChannelingFastSimModel* ChannelingModel = new G4ChannelingFastSimModel("ChannelingModel", crystalRegion);
    //activate the channeling model
    ChannelingModel->Input(crystalMaterial, crystalLattice);
    //setting bending angle of the crystal planes (default is 0)
    ChannelingModel->GetCrystalData()->SetBendingAngle(crystalBendingAngle, crystalLV);

    if(crystalRadiationModel){ChannelingModel->RadiationModelActivate();}
```

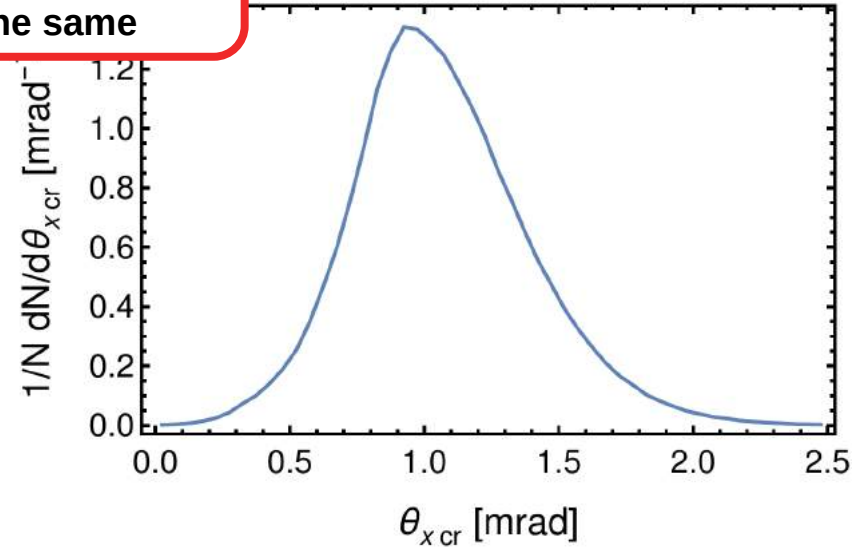
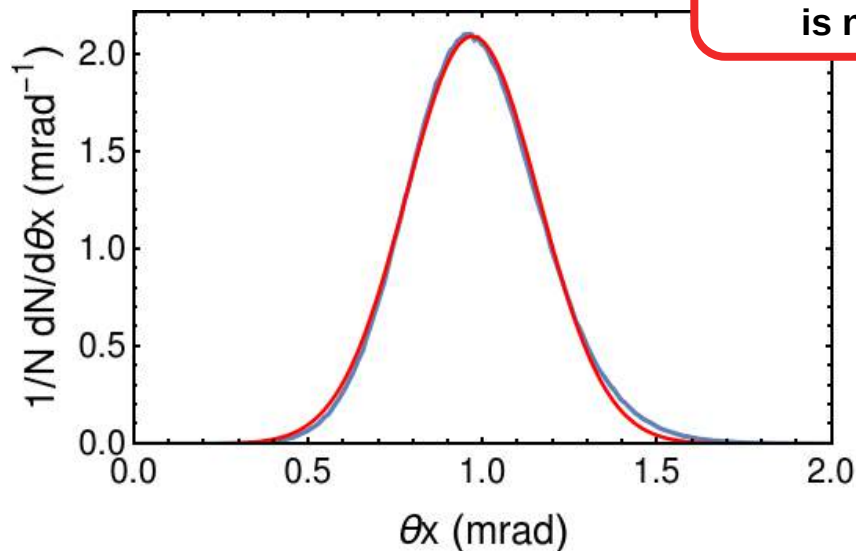
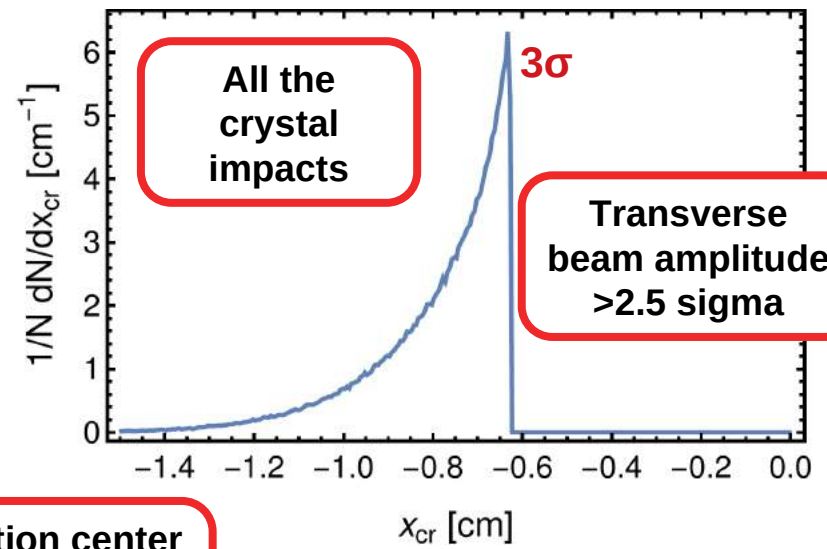
Crystal impact

(both transverse and energy spread is taken into account)

Old paper*

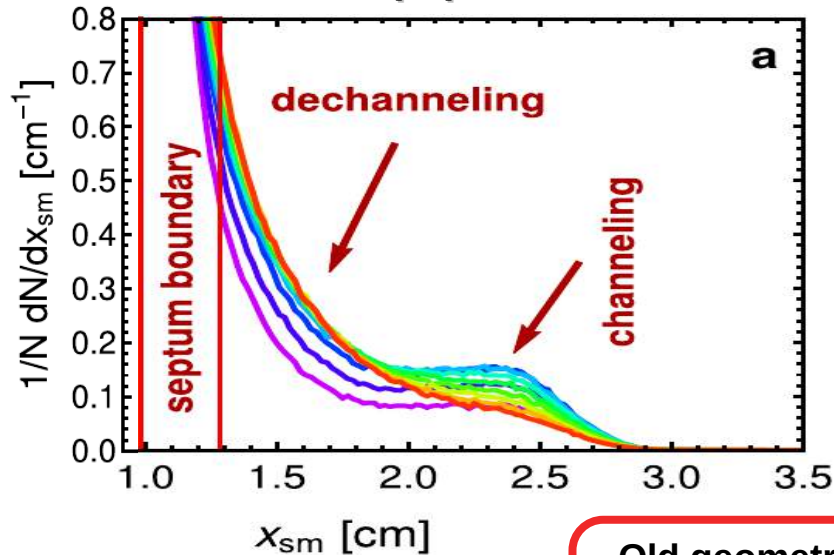


BDSim

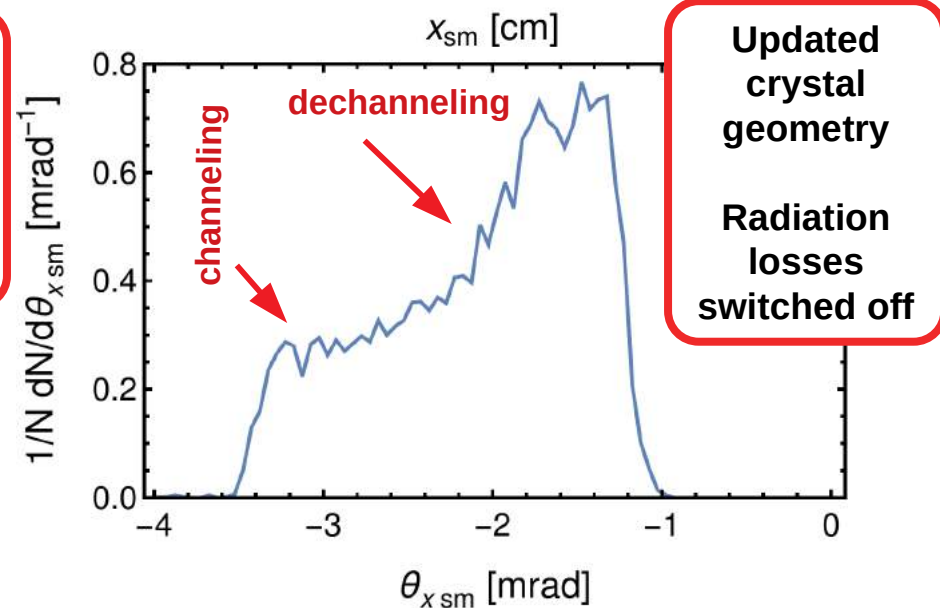
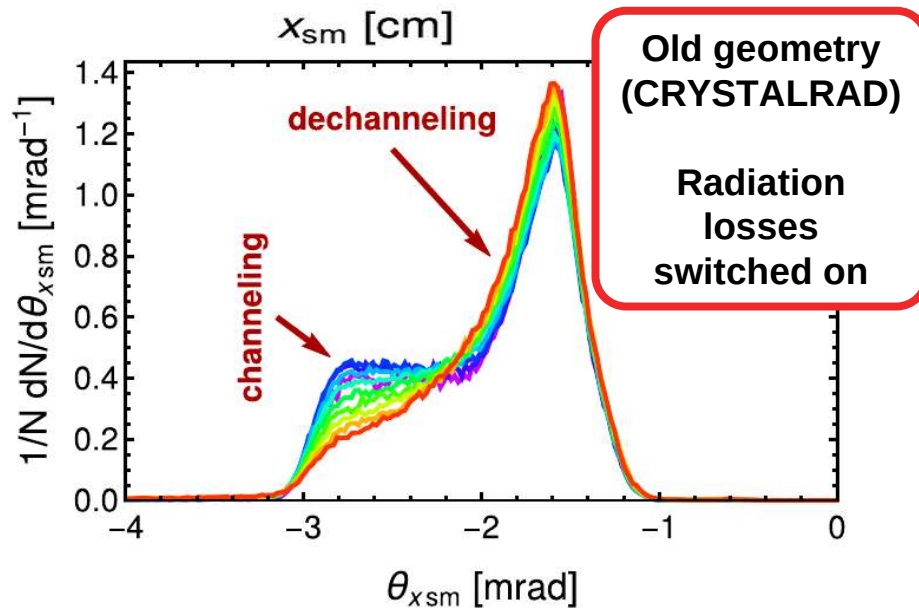
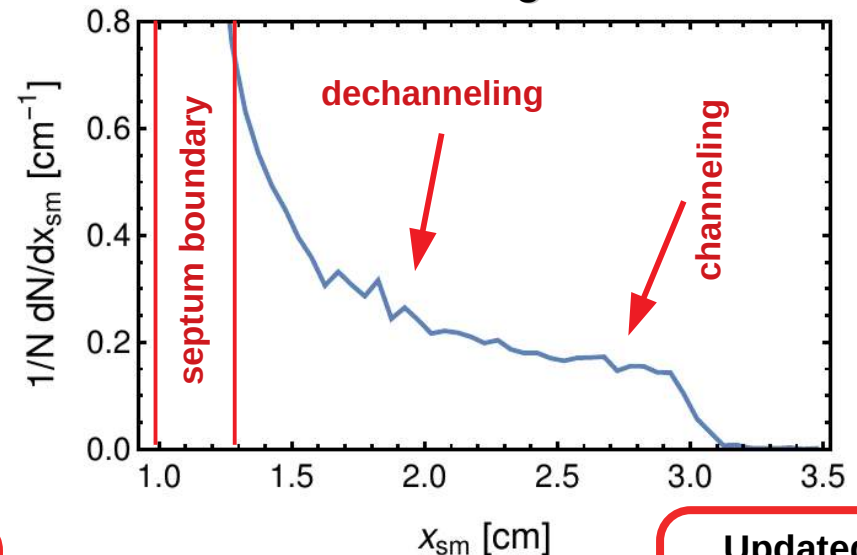


Crystal-based extraction: simulation results distributions at the septum magnet entrance

Old paper*



BDSim & ChannelingFastSimModel



Summary and Future plans 2024

parameters* (still valid)

Bent crystal thickness	175 μm
Bent crystal bending angle	1.75 mrad
Bent crystal transverse position	-0.63 cm
Bent crystal angular alignment	0.97 mrad
Septum magnet transverse position	0.98 cm

Main part of the **beam** will
not touch the **crystal**

5% of the **beam** will
enter into the
septum magnet



~50 pC can be
extracted

Future plans

- Turn on **cavities** and **radiation losses** in the **crystal**
- Track the particles also in the **extraction line**
- Calculate the **beam emittance** and **beam charge** at the extraction line exit
- Simulation of **ionization losses** in the crystal to estimate the radiation damage if any
- Further **optimization** of the crystal geometry and location
- Consider **other crystal materials/crystalline effects**

Where the crystal-based extraction of electrons can be applied?



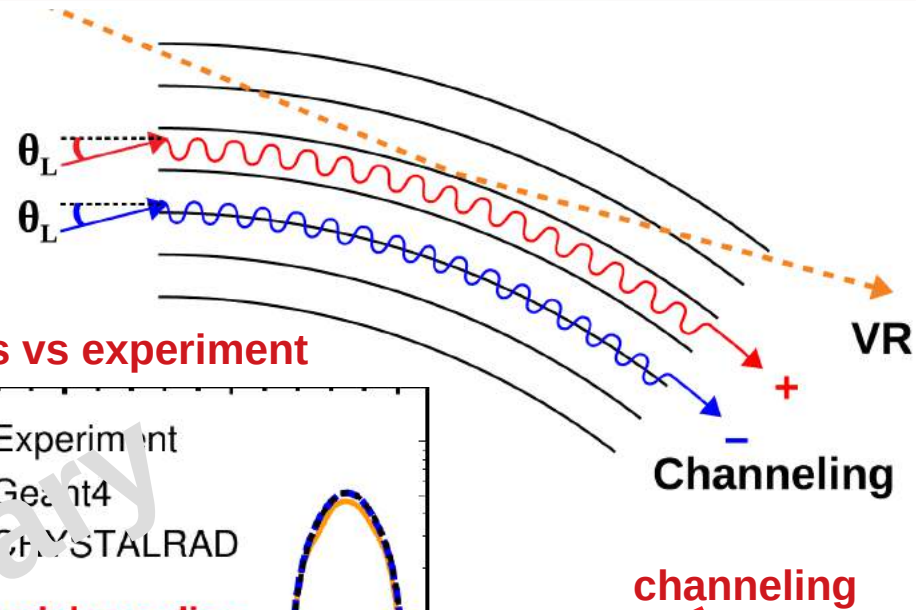
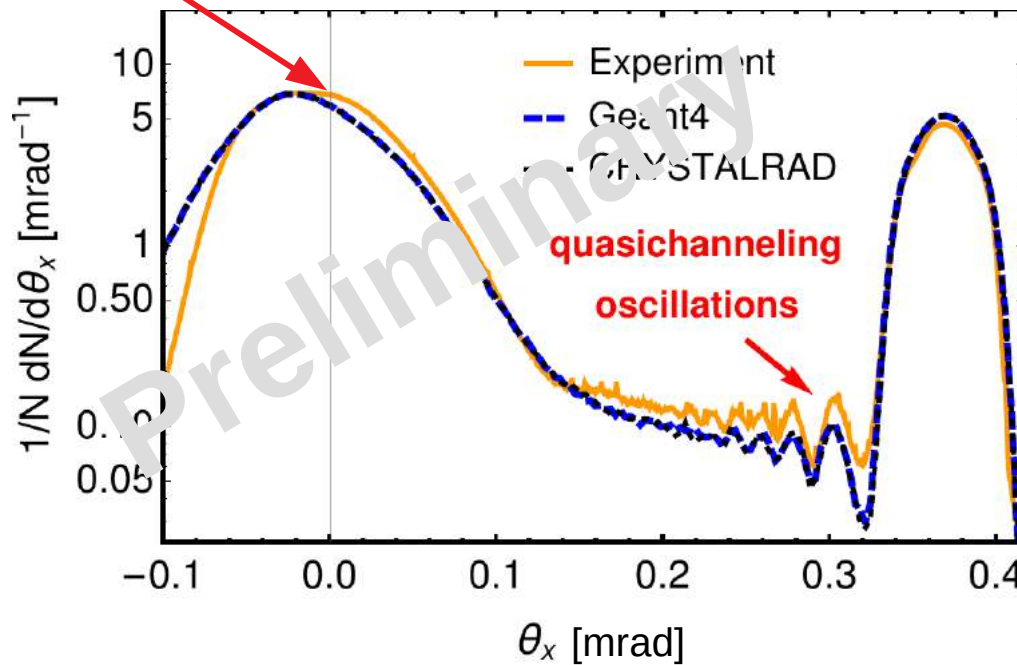
More Geant4 channeling model validation: quasichanneling oscillations* at SLAC FACET Facility

20.35 GeV
positrons

60 μm thick
bent crystal

volume reflection (VR)

Geant simulations vs experiment



To be submitted for publication soon

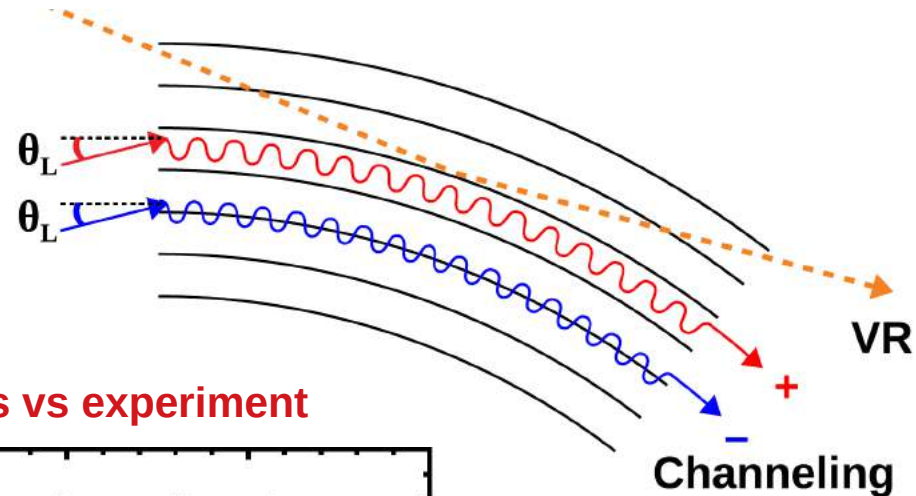
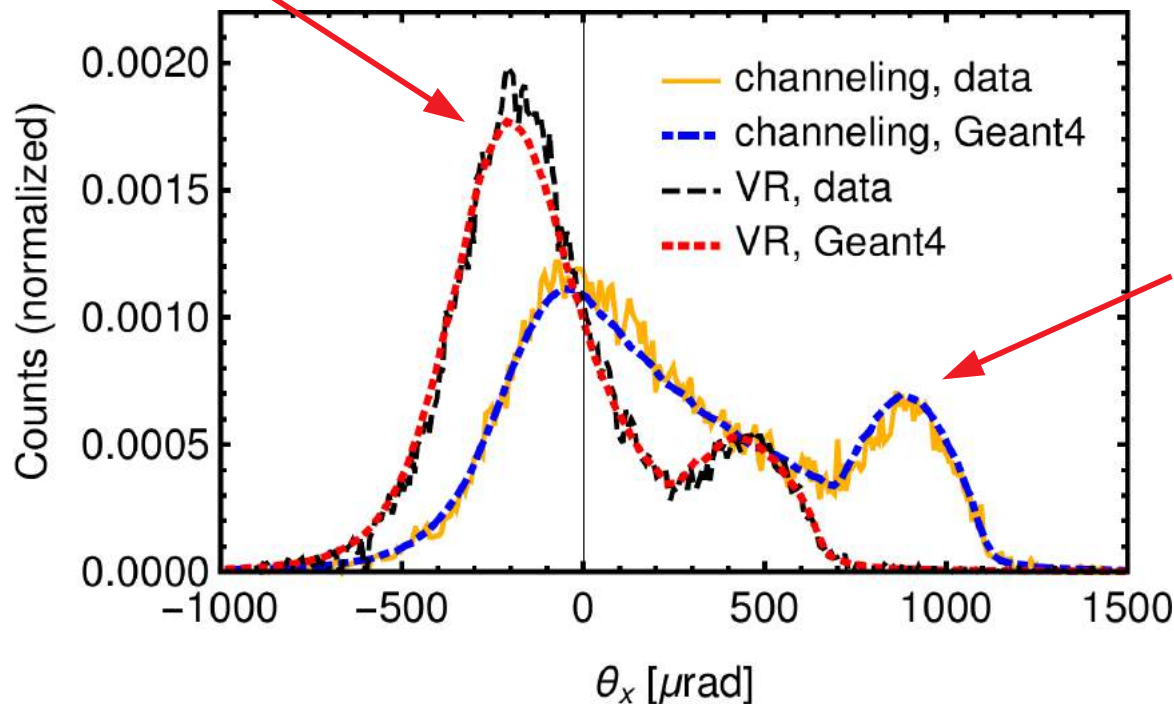
Geant4 channeling model validation: beam deflection by a bent crystal

855 MeV
electrons

15 μm thick
bent crystal

volume reflection (VR)

Geant simulations vs experiment

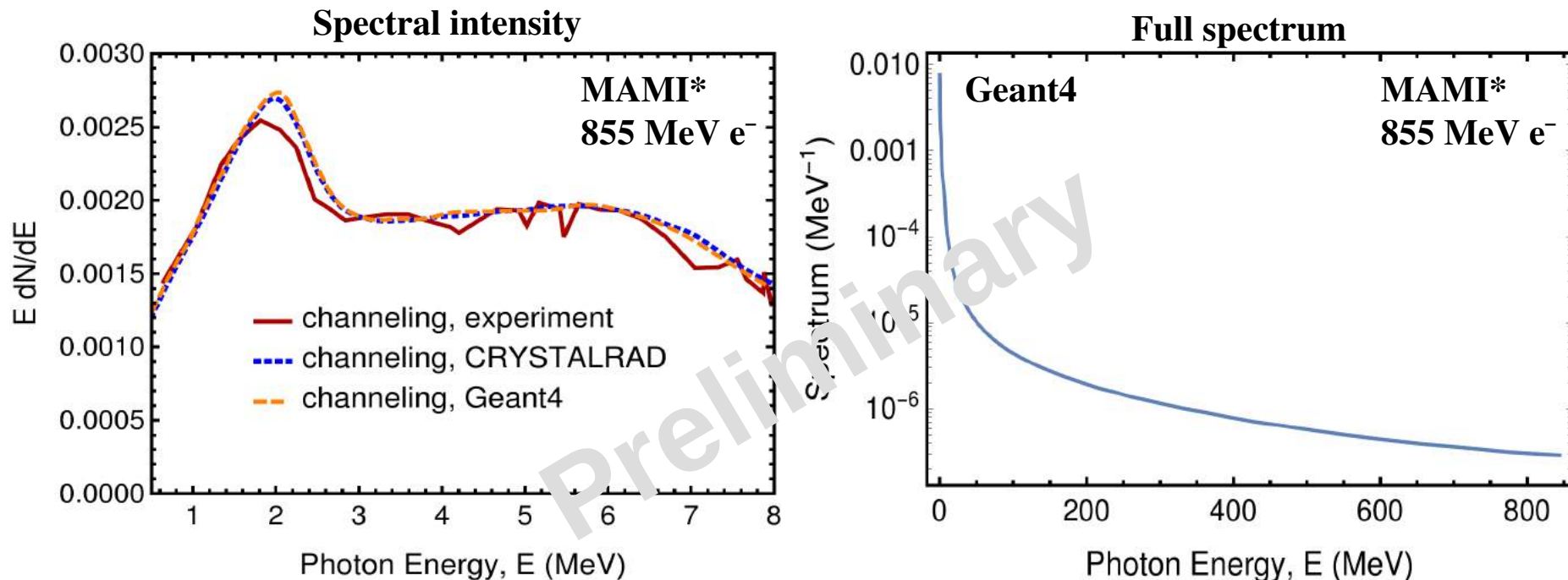


First Geant4 Baier-Katkov radiation model: radiation by 855 MeV electrons at Mainz Mikrotron MAMI*

G4BaierKatkov:

- Physics list **independent**
- Can be used **outside channeling model** within other FastSim model
- Provides **radiation spectrum** for single-photon radiation mode
- Provides generation of **secondary photons**

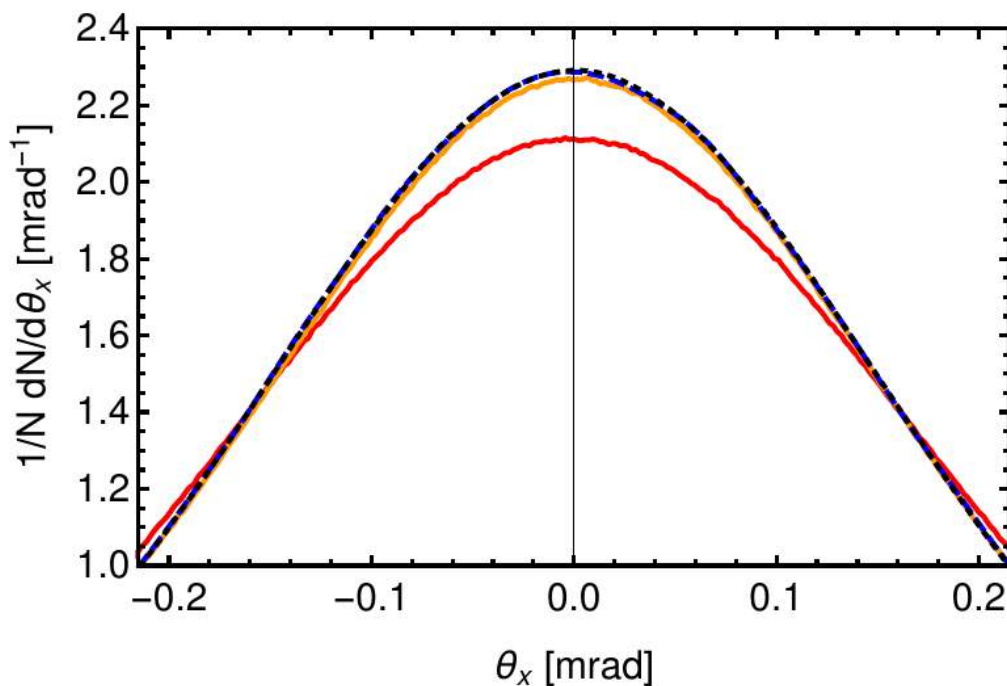
Geant simulations vs experiment and CRYSTALRAD simulations



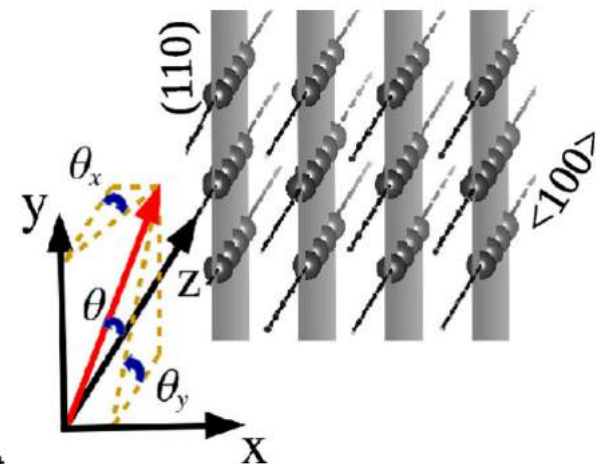
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2D Geant4 channeling model validation: coherent scattering suppression effect*

Multiple scattering in crystal and multiple scattering in amorphous material are different!

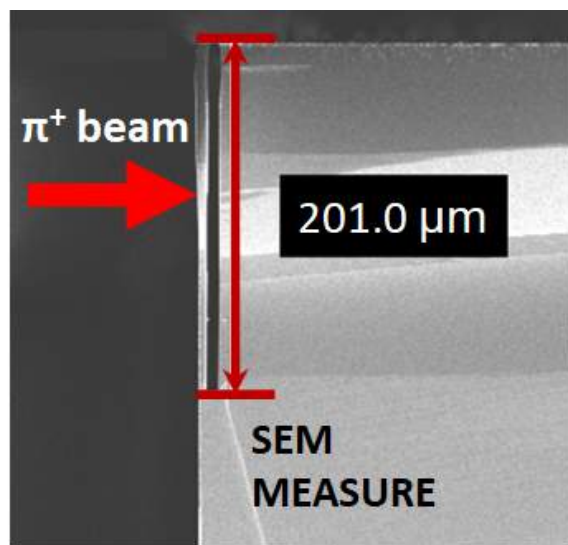
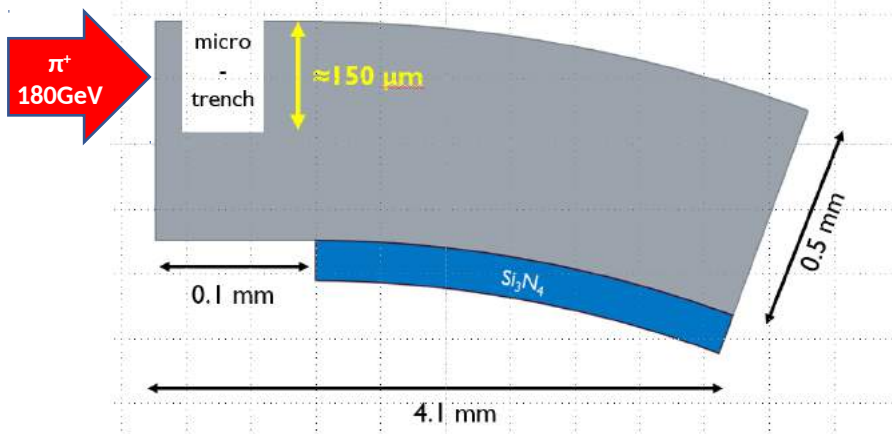


- Experiment amorphous Si
- Experiment Si $\langle 100 \rangle$ (0.172° , 2°)
- - - Geant4 Si $\langle 100 \rangle$ (0.172° , 2°)
- - - CRYSTALRAD Si $\langle 100 \rangle$ (0.172° , 2°)



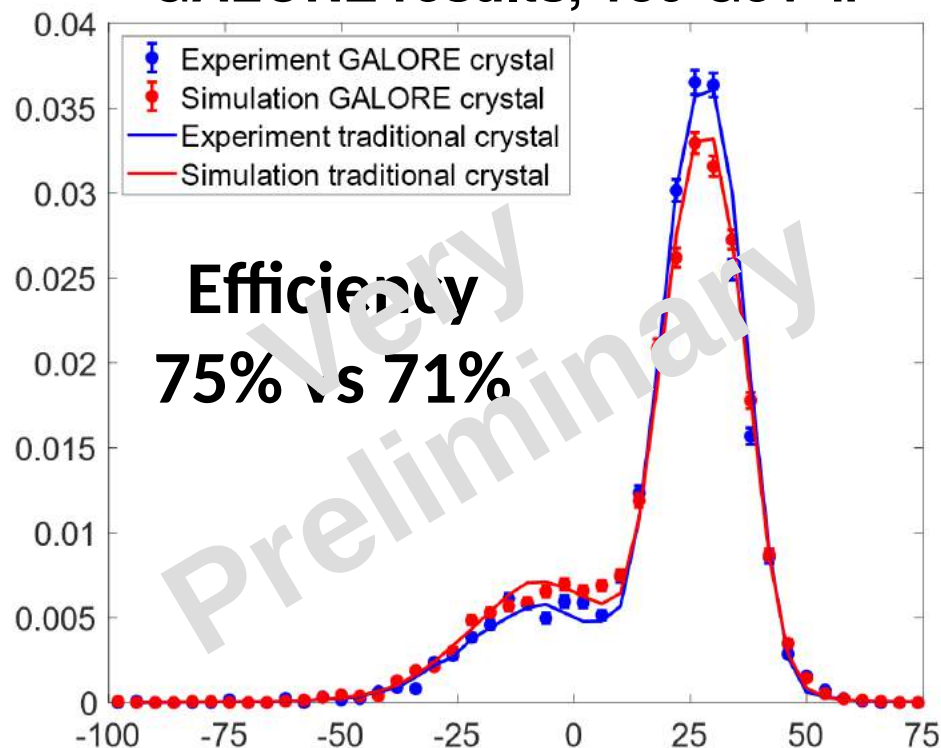
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Geant4 simulations of the experiment GALORE: Crystalline cut to drastically increase the channeling efficiency



Geant4 simulations vs experimental data

GALORE results, 180 GeV π^+

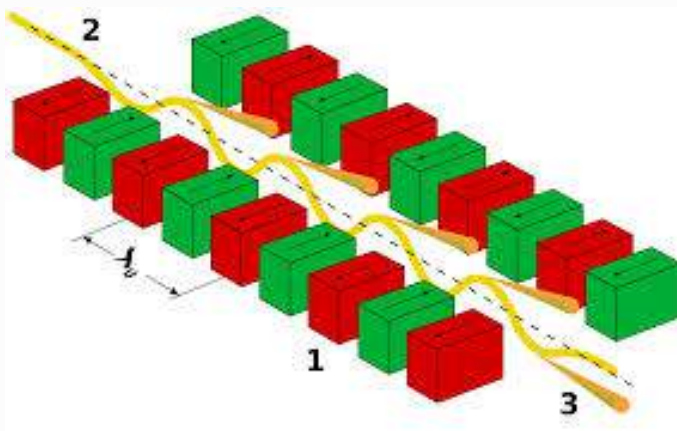


M. Romagnoni, ..., A. Sytov et al. Crystals 12 (9), 1263 (2022)
M. Romagnoni, ..., A. Sytov et al. Eur. Phys. J. D 76, 135 (2022).

*V.V. Tikhomirov JINST 2 P08006 (2007)

Channeling radiation in a bent crystal: Crystalline undulator

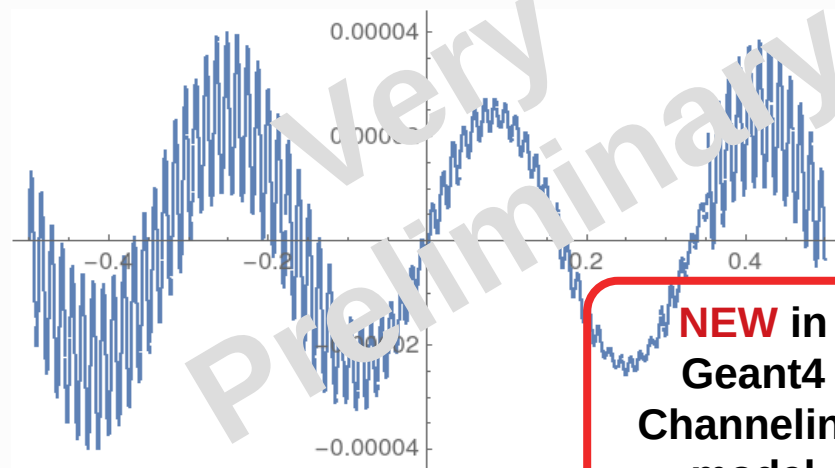
Classical scheme: magnetic undulator in a free electron laser **soft X-rays** $\lambda_u \sim \text{cm}$



Advantage:

- Intense X- and gamma-rays produced in a crystal, in a compact piece of material

Innovative scheme: Crystalline undulator $\rightarrow$ **Hard X-rays and gamma rays** $\lambda_u < \text{mm}$



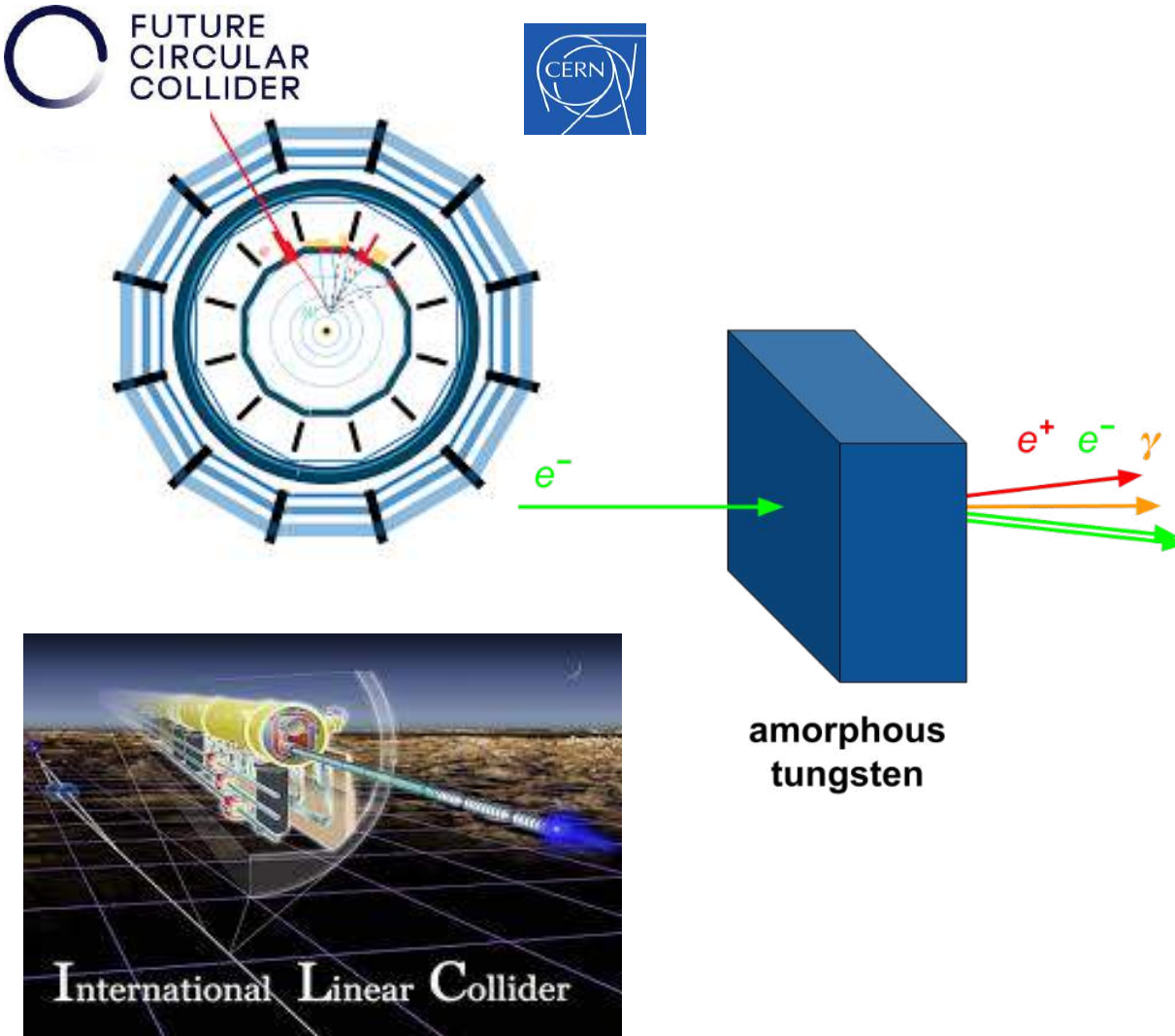
Crystalline X and gamma-ray source **can be applied** in:

- Nuclear physics
- Medical physics



H2020-MSCA-RISE N-LIGHT (G.A. 872196) and
EIC-PATHFINDER-OPEN TECHNO-CLS (G.A. 101046458)
Coordinator MBN RESEARCH CENTER (Germany)

Positron source for future lepton colliders



All the future e^+e^- colliders will need an **intense positron source**

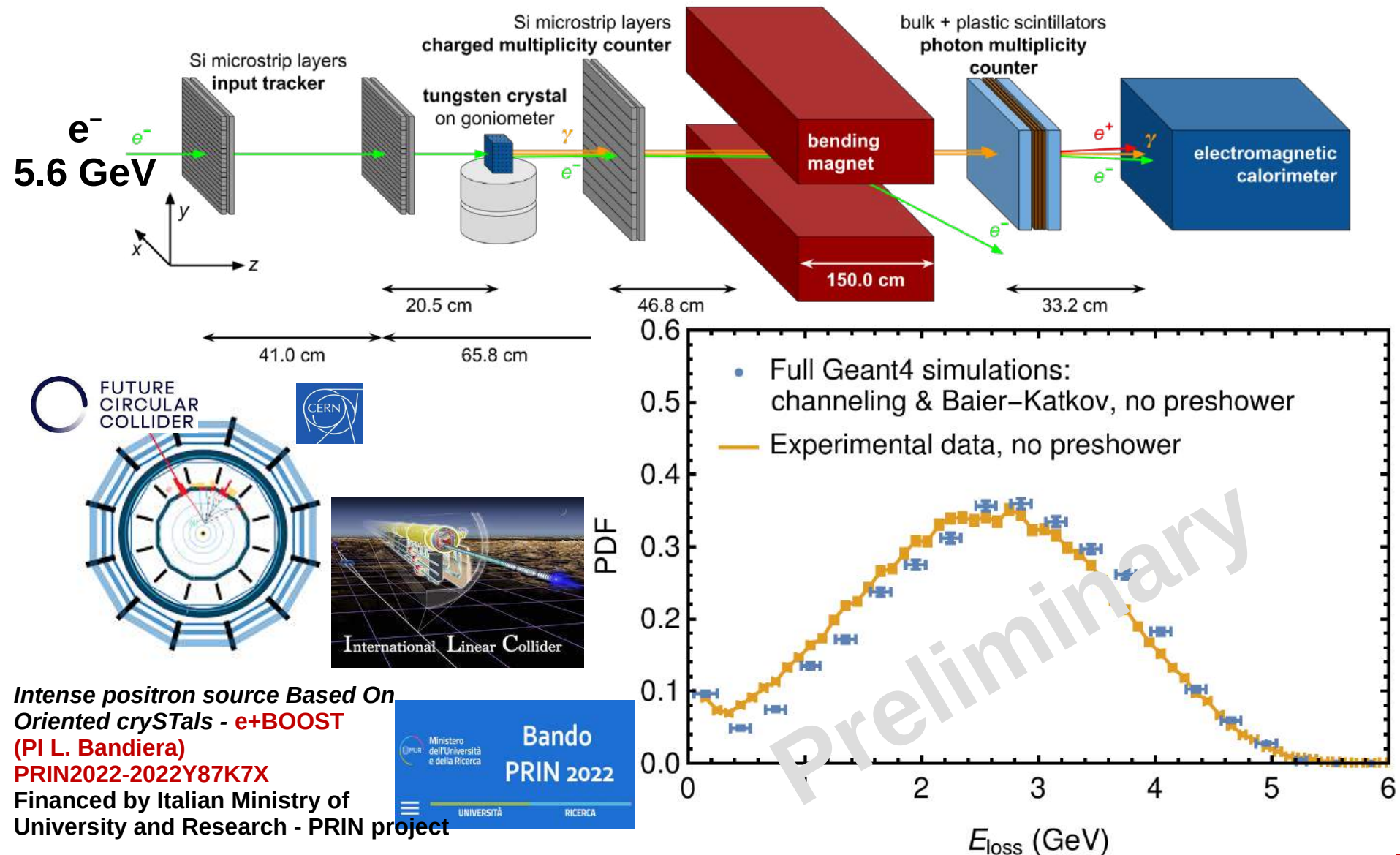
Potential challenges:
Target overheating/melting



Peak Energy Deposition Density (**PEDD**) limit:
35 J/g for W^*

The main **challenge**:
to **increase positron yield**
and to **decrease PEDD**

Full Geant4 simulations of the DESY experiment* for the FCC-ee positron source project

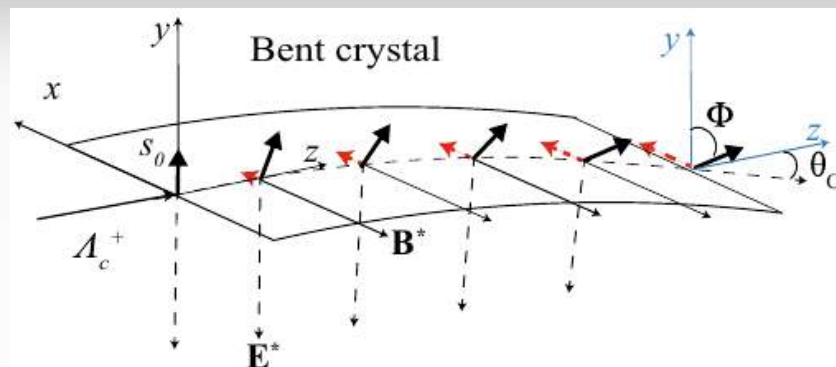


Additional applications of oriented crystals

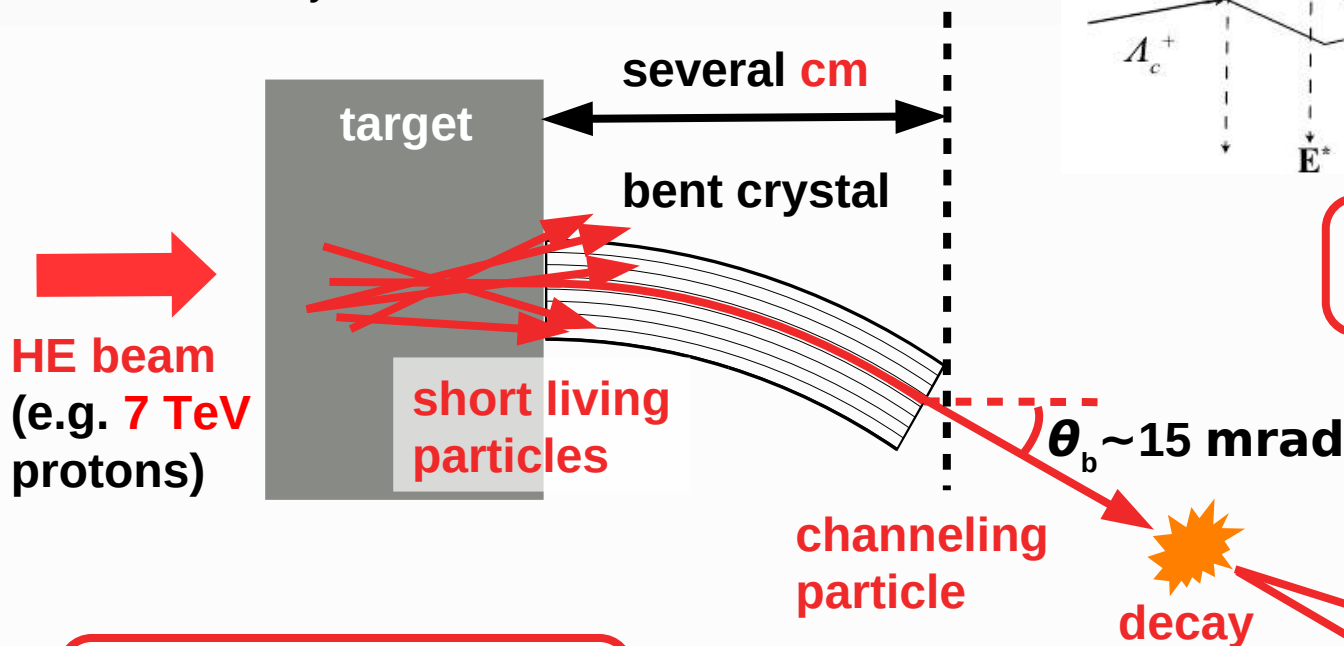
Search of MDM&EDM of short living particles using the effect of spin rotation in oriented crystals*

What we want:

- To measure **MDM** and **EDM** of exotic baryons



Experimental proof
at Tevatron for Σ^{+**}



Crystal thickness must be comparable with the life distance of the particle

Possible particles:
 $\Lambda_c^+, \Xi_c^+, \dots, \tau$

Detector
(e.g. LHCb)
polarization
measurement

* V. G. Baryshevskii, Pis'ma Zh. Tekh. Fiz. 5, 182 (1979)

**D. Chen et al. (E761 Collaboration) Phys. Rev. Lett. 69, 23 (1992)

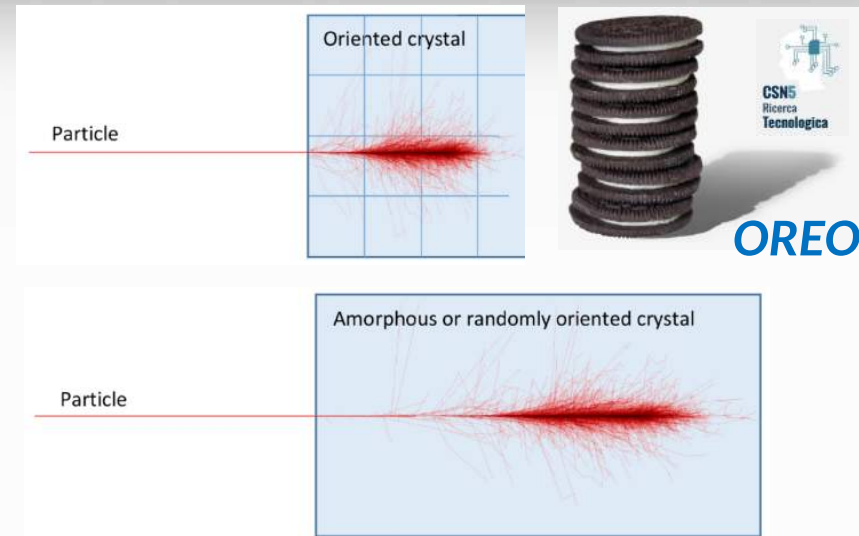
Crystal-based ultrashort electromagnetic calorimeter* (The INFN OREO experiment ORiEnted calOrimeter)

Advantage:

- Considerably shorter thickness
- More transparent for other particles (hadrons)
- Potentially lower time resolution

Crystalline calorimeter can be applied at:

- Fixed-target experiments including **dark matter search**
- **Space gamma telescopes => GRB observation**



CERN North Area



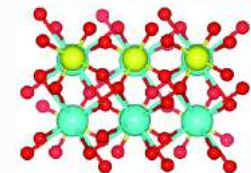
$$K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$$

+ dark photon search

Gamma-ray Space Telescope (like Fermi)



PWO



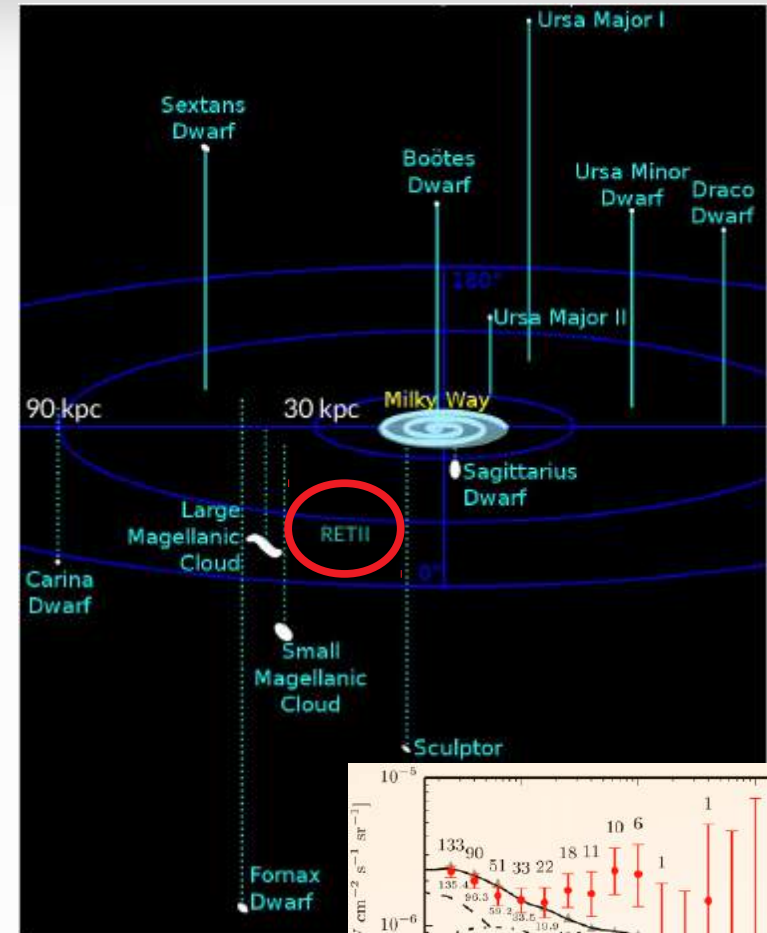
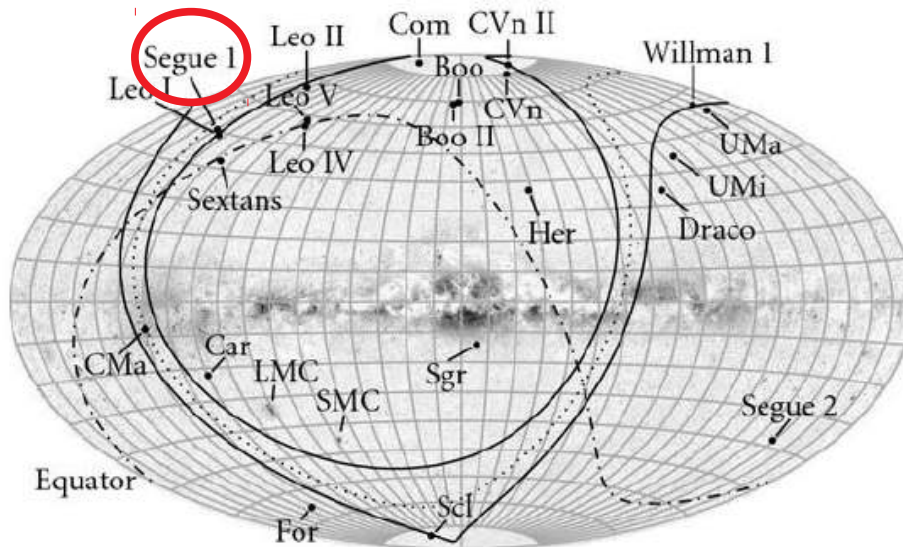
Crystalline calorimeter
extends observation **y**
energy range up to **TeV**

Dwarf spheroidal galaxies (dSph) as dark matter laboratories

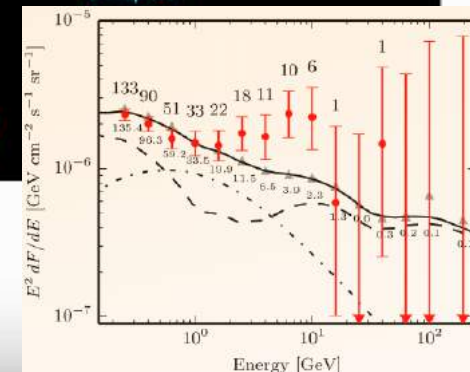
Why dwarf galaxies for the dark matter search?

Dwarf galaxies are:

- nearby,
- dark matter-dominated,
- contain **no conventional sources** of astrophysical **backgrounds** (e.g., cosmic ray generation and propagation through interstellar gas)

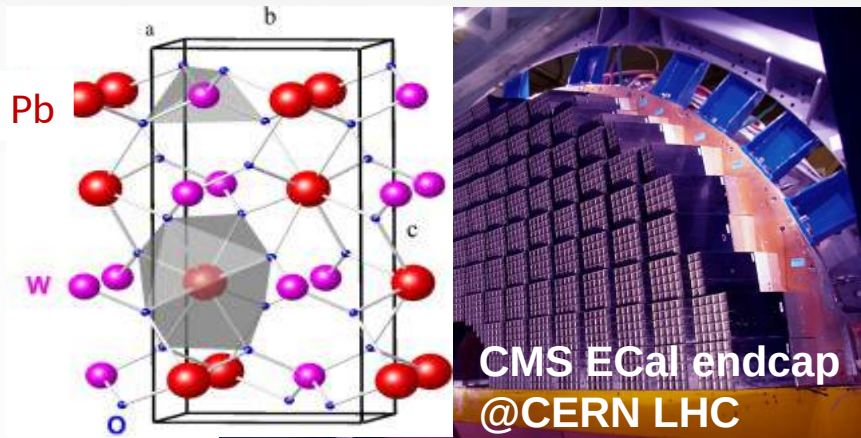


More than **50 dwarf galaxies** are currently **known**,
with more to be discovered with upcoming surveys!



Orienting the electromagnetic calorimeter => making it thinner!

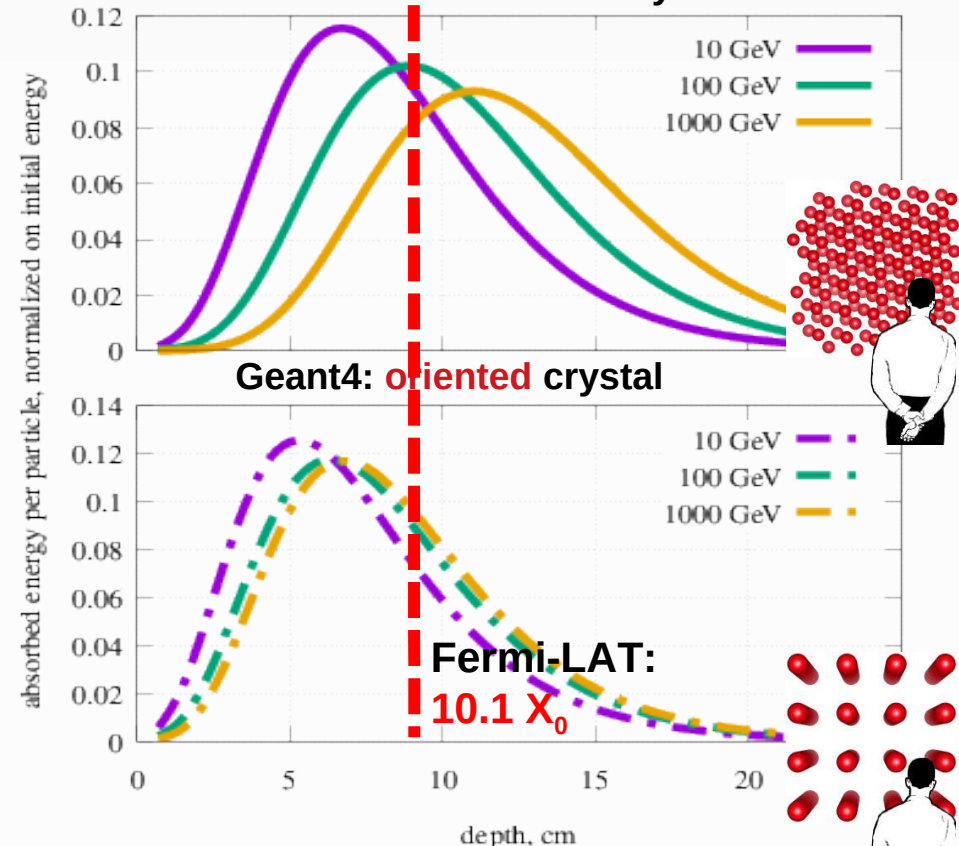
Lead tungstate: PbWO_4



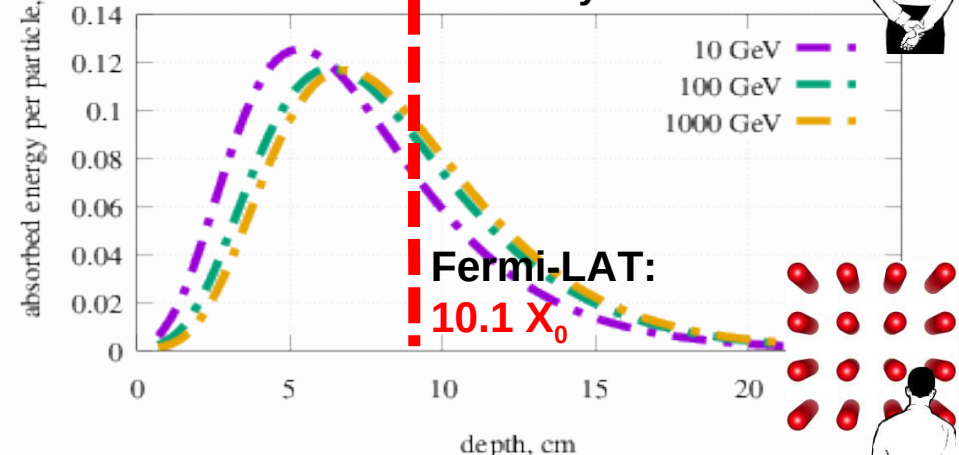
INFN OREO by L. Bandiera et al.

Simulation of the e.m. shower of HE electrons in a PWO crystal

Geant4: non-oriented crystal



Geant4: oriented crystal



Fermi-LAT:
10.1 X_0

Compact e.m. shower in the energy scale
from multi-GeV up to multi-TeV!

Starlink Satellites v1.5, v2 mini, and v2

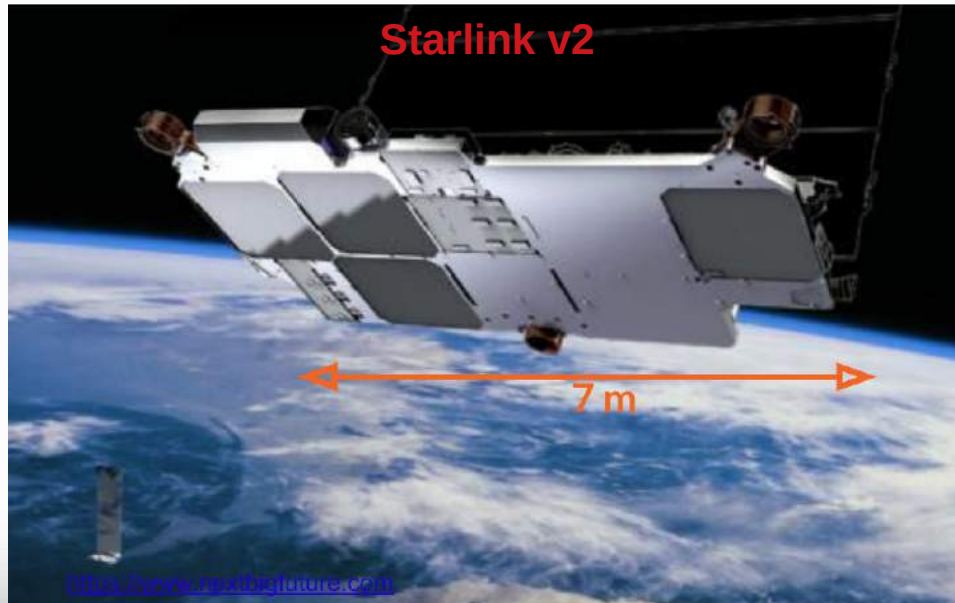
Starlink

- **Starlink v1.5** (270 kg, launched in SpaceX Falcon 9, 51 per launch)
- **Starlink v2 Mini** (800 kg, 21 launched at a time in SpaceX Falcon 9),
Body 11 m², Panels 105 m² (May 2023) 4,400 sat. already launched
>90% fully operational
- **Starlink v2** (~50 per launch in future SpaceX Starship)
Body 25 m², 1200 kg

Starlink V2 Mini



Starlink v2



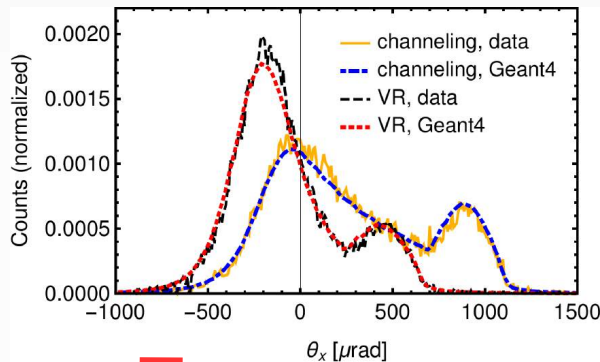
Starlink: Mass Produced Satellites
42k in Constellation is the goal



What about Neural Nets? My proposal

Geant4 simulations can produce datasets for neural nets training.
Neural nets are less precise but much faster!

Step 1: beam deflection

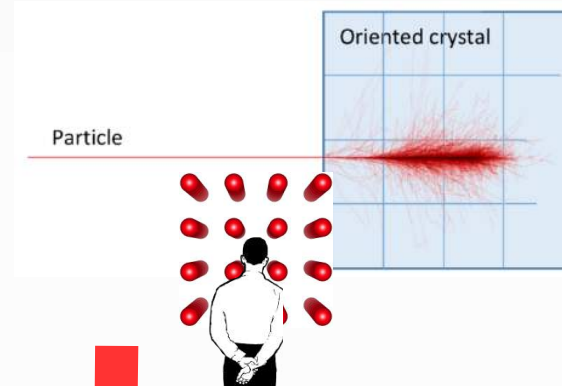


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dense_2 (Dense)	(None, 1000)	501000
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dense_4 (Dense)	(None, 200)	100200
dense_5 (Dense)	(None, 100)	20100

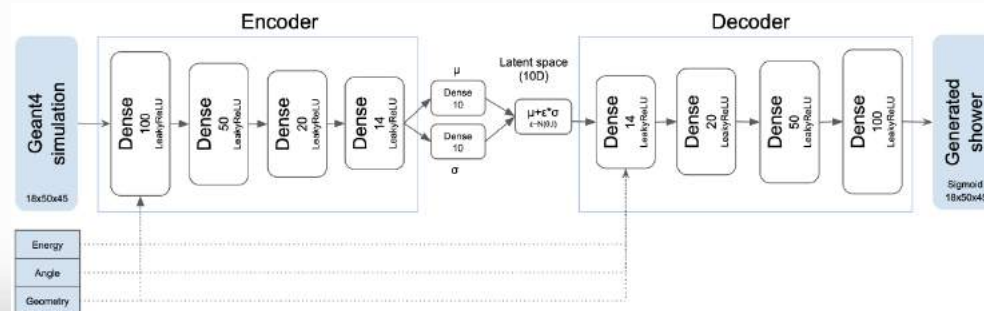
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 Trainable params: 1,223,100
 Non-trainable params: 0

My first attempt

Step 2: electro magnetic shower



To use the **variational autoencoder** model
 already existing in **Geant4**
Anna Zaborowska & Marc Verderi



Plasma wake-field acceleration in nanostructures

$$E[\text{GV/m}] = m_e \omega_p c / e \approx 100 \sqrt{n_0 [10^{18} \text{cm}^{-3}]}$$

**Acceleration
gradient:**

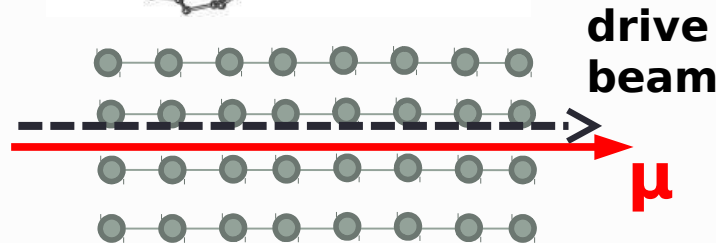
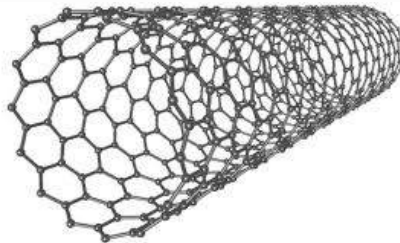
1-10 TeV/m

Considerably **higher electron density** in a **solid state** than in a gaseous plasma

Channeling makes **crystal** almost **transparent** both to accelerated and to drive beam

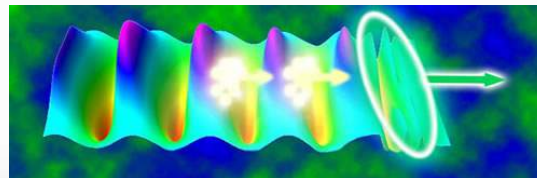
Possible drive beam:

- X-rays
- electrons
- heavy high-Z beams



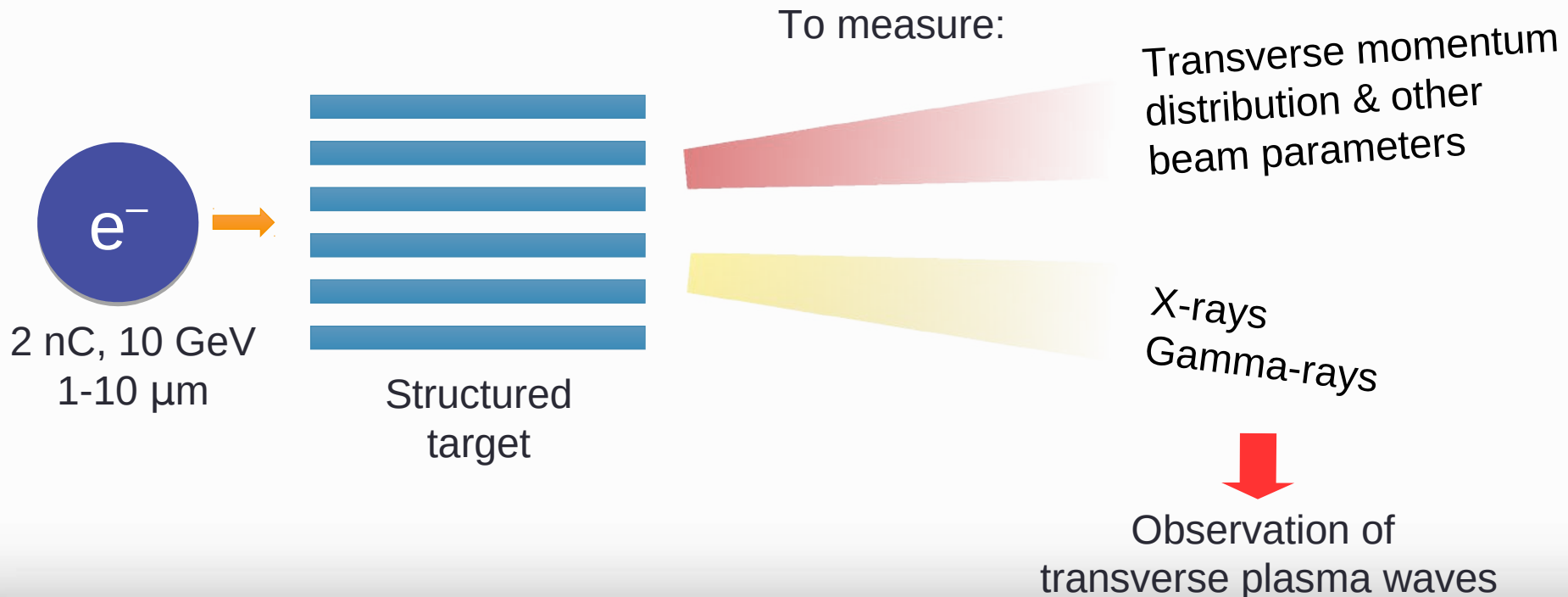
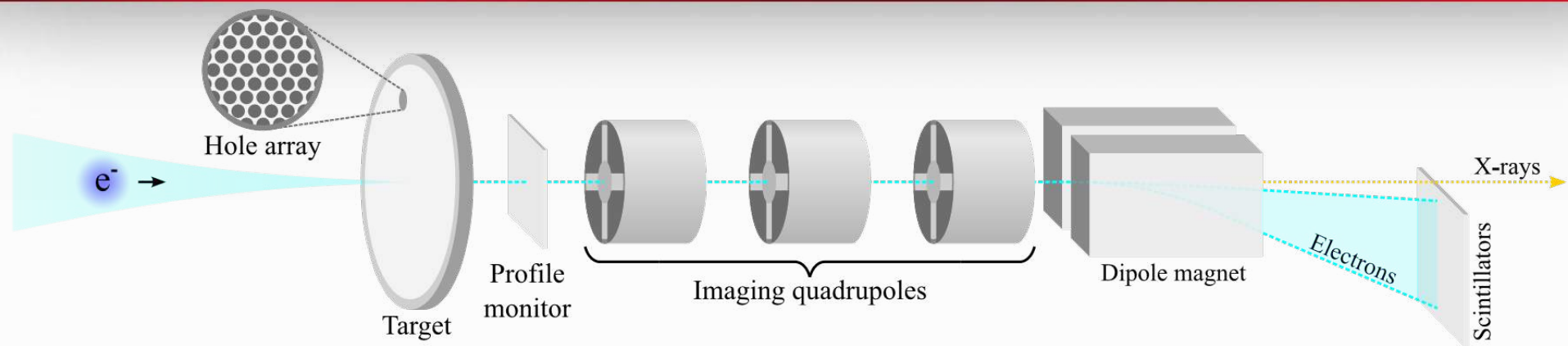
Possible accelerated beam:

- **muons**
- e⁺/e⁻
- protons



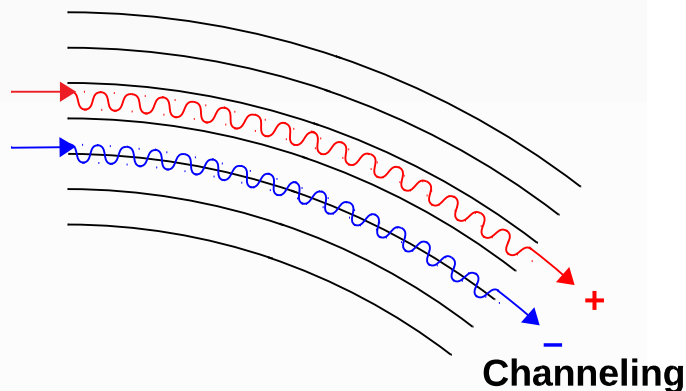
Compact muon collider?

E336 SLAC FACET-II experimental setup

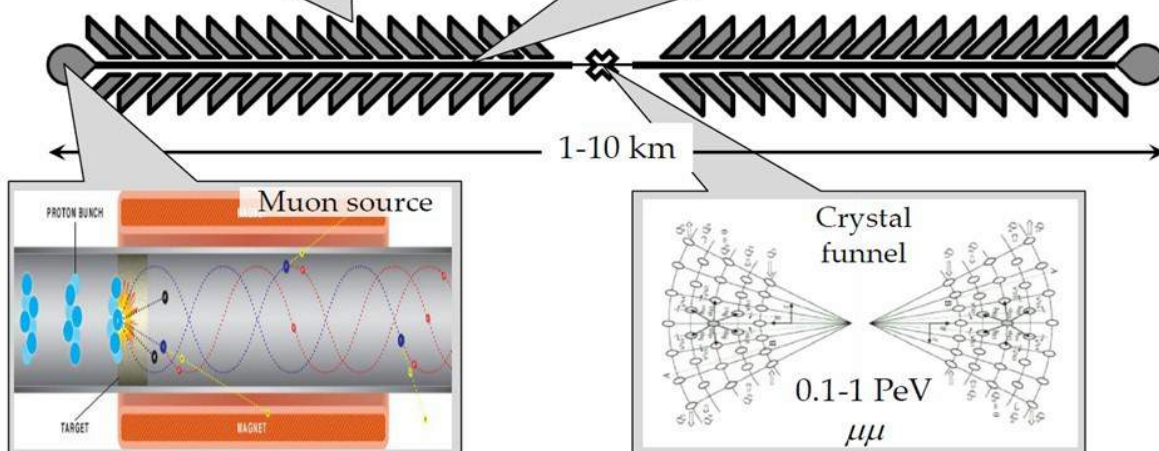
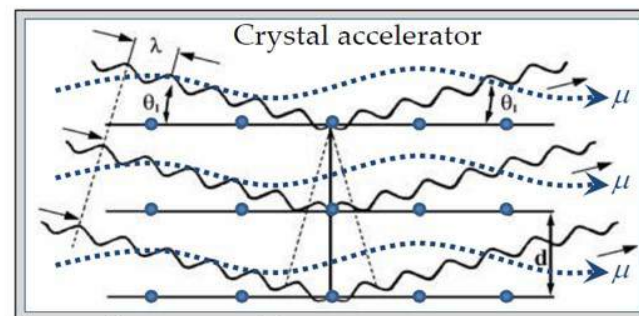
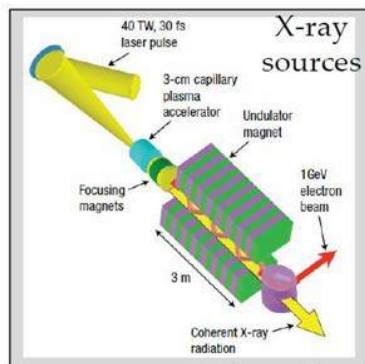
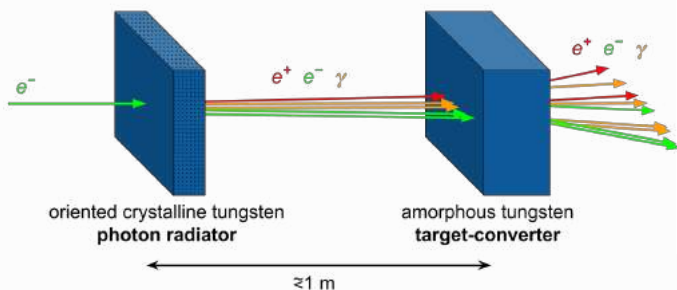


Let's dream about future lepton colliders!

Channeling in a bent crystal Concept of a linear X-ray crystal muon collider*,**



Hybrid crystal-based positron source**

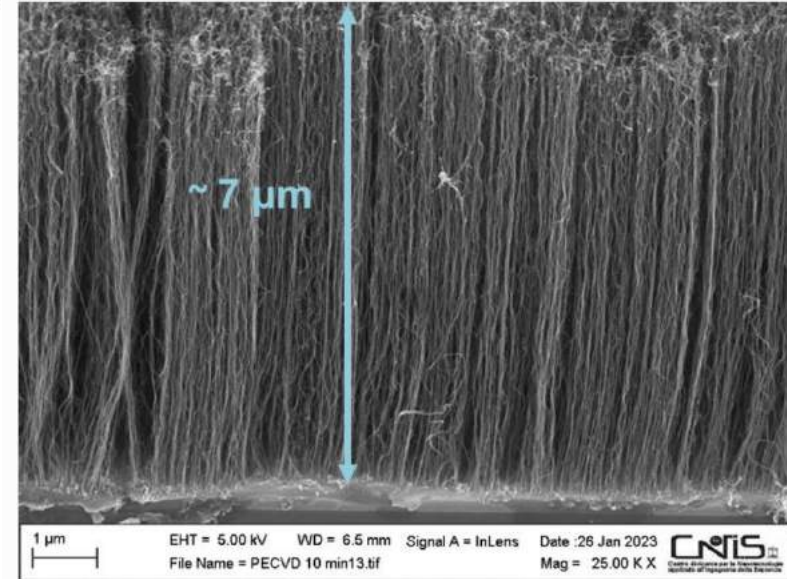
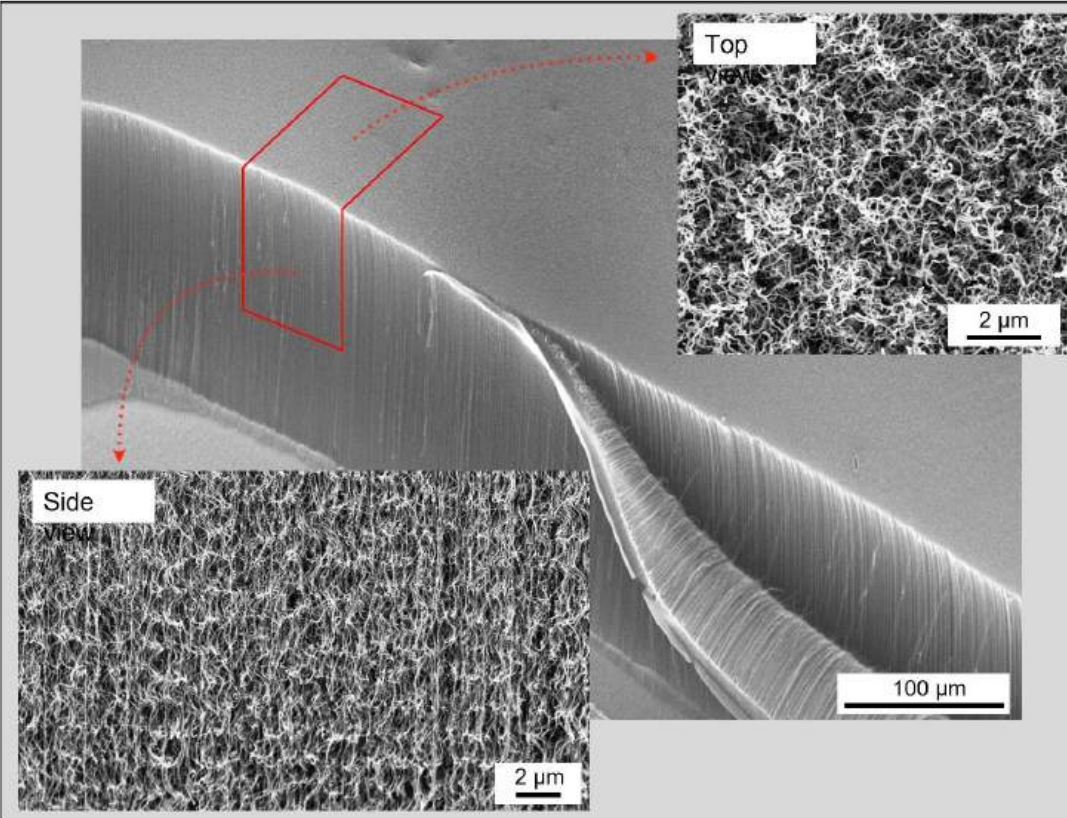
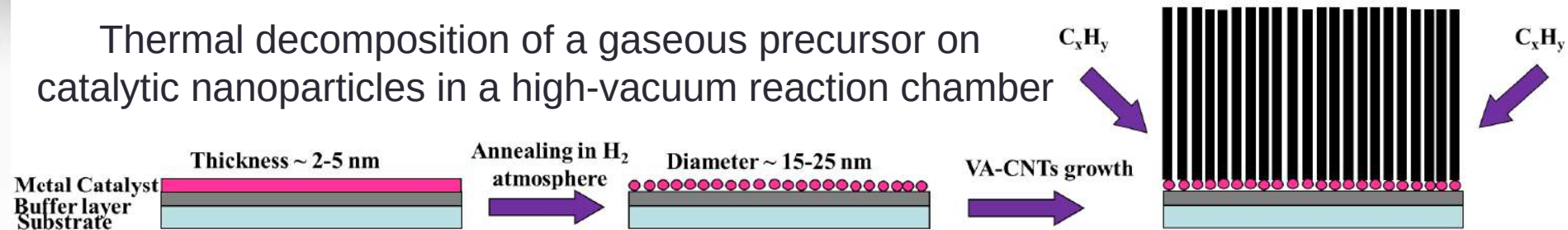


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Future target: carbon nanotubes

Thermal decomposition of a gaseous precursor on catalytic nanoparticles in a high-vacuum reaction chamber



Courtesy of
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Channeling simulations in CNT: trajectories, ideal case

Simulations with **CRYSTALRAD** simulation code*

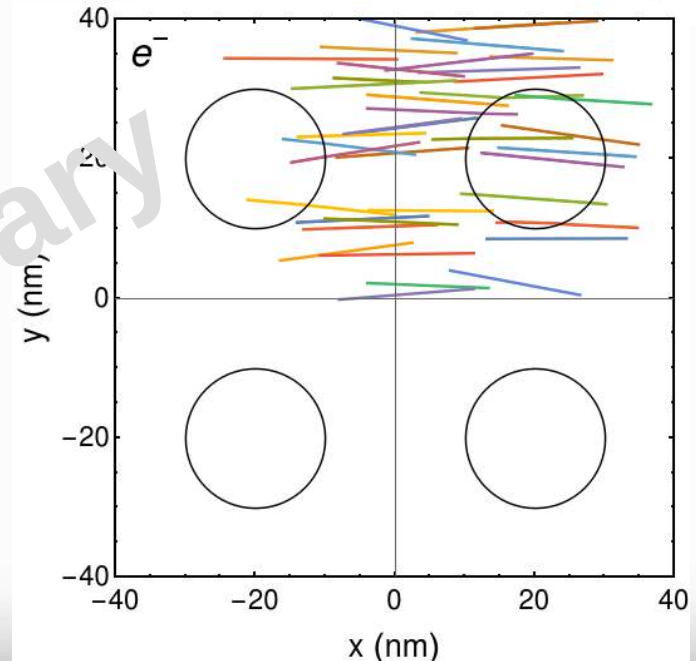
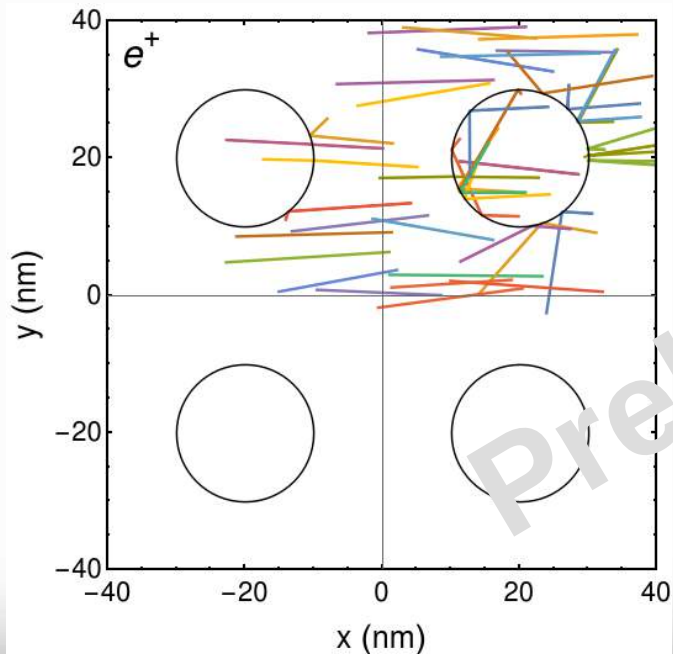
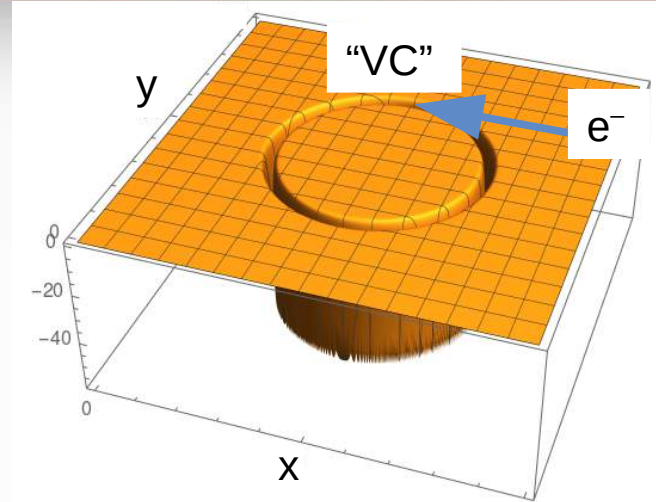
Simulation parameters:

Beam: e^-/e^+

Divergence: $10\ \mu\text{rad}$

CNT diameter: 20 nm

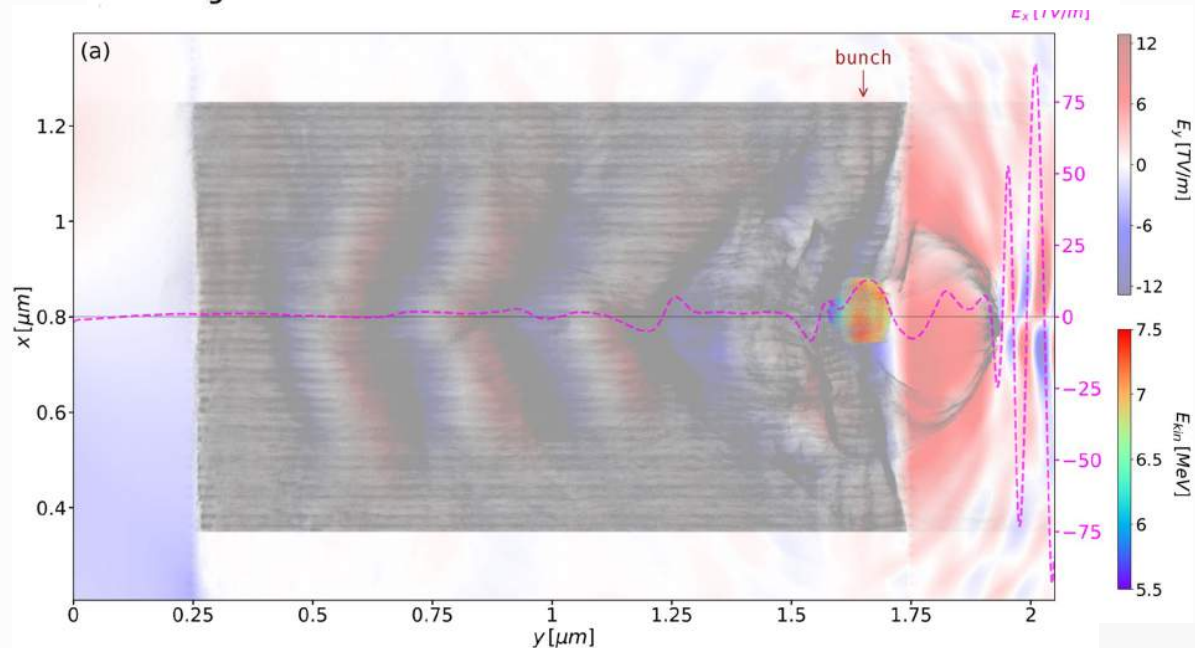
CNT length: 0.2 mm



Laser plasma acceleration in carbon nanotubes

TeV/m catapult acceleration of electrons in graphene layers

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Collaboration with Pohang Acceleration Laboratory



10 GeV electrons in beam dump

Our collaboration topics

- laser/X-ray plasma acceleration
- positron source
- beam deflection/X-FEL diagnostics



TRILLION synergy with different fields

- Beam manipulation: **e-/e+/proton/... synchrotrons/colliders**
- Positron source: **FCC-ee**
- Radiation source: **crystalline undulator**
- Detector physics: **electromagnetic calorimeter**
- **MDM** and **EDM** measurement
- **Space gamma-telescopes** for dark matter search
- **Machine Learning**
- **Beam-driven plasma acceleration** in nanostructures
- **Laser-driven plasma acceleration** in nanostructures



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List of collaborations



TRILLION initially:

Host:



Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare

Partner for
outgoing phase:



Korea Institute of
Science and Technology Information

Geant4 collaboration:



Planned secondments:



My Project **MIRACLE**
(supercomputing time):

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Laser-driven plasma wakefield
acceleration in nanostructures:



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EIC-PATHFINDER-OPEN
TECHNO-CLS:



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Gamma-ray space
telescope for dark
matter search:



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E-336 experiment at
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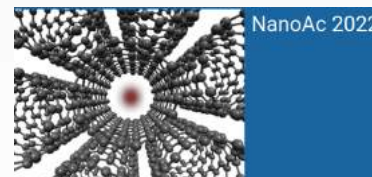




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Missions, conferences

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High1 Workshop on Particle, String and Cosmology

Jan. 29 - Feb. 4, 2023 High1 Resort

9th International Geant4 Tutorial in Korea 2022

59th Geant4 Technical Forum



The 1st Yemilab Workshop



XV International Conference on Gravitation, Astrophysics and Cosmology (ICGAC15)

28th Geant4 Collaboration Meeting

Geant4 Training Course in Medicine 2023

2023 Korea Supercomputing Conference

2023 KPS Fall Meeting



RREPS23

10th International
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Date: 2023.11.6~10
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A. Sytov **TRILLION** short internships to the INFN group of the **Geant4** collaboration (Laboratori Nazionali del Sud, Catania, Italy):

- 13/09/2021-17/09/2021
- 27/10/2022-28/10/2022
- 14/05/2022-19/05/2022



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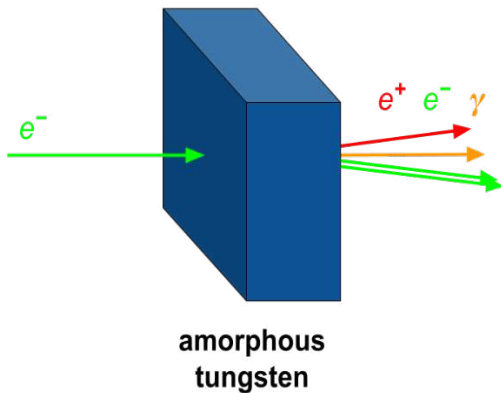
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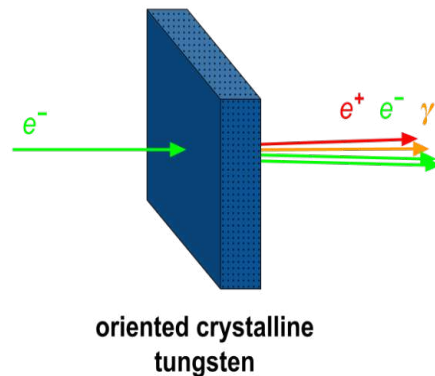
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Different types of crystal-based positron source*

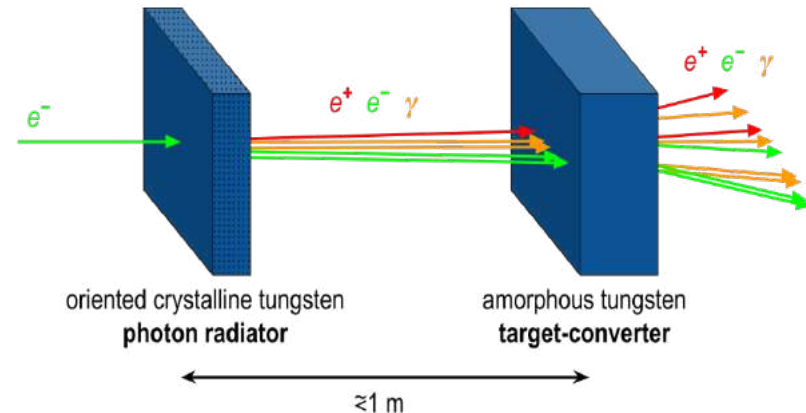
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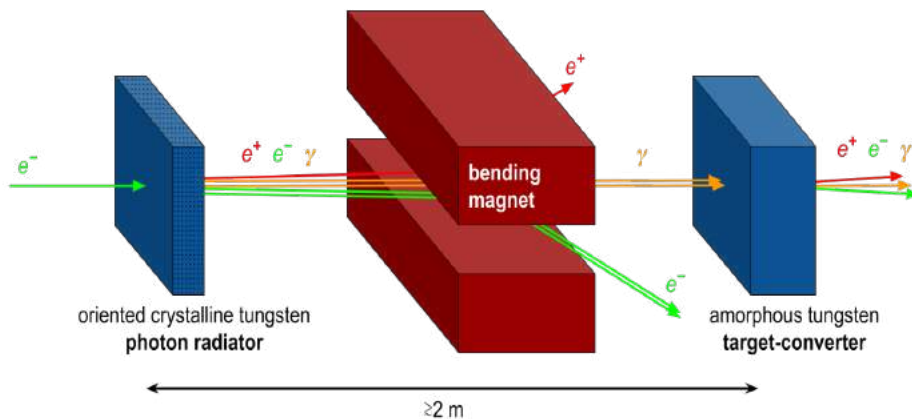
Crystal target



Hybrid scheme



Hybrid scheme with magnetic field



Hybrid positron source: two stages

- 1. Radiation production and beam scattering at the first target
- 2. pair production in the second target
- Optional magnetic field between 2 targets to reduce PEDD at the second target

positron yield increase
PEDD reduction

FCC-ee positron source project: new simulations

